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Births.

GARRAWAY.—October 28, at her residence, Thornleystreet, Drummoyne, the wife of Harold E. Garraway, of a son.

RALEIGH.—October 24, at Hartwood, N.S.W., the wife of Wm. Rupert Raleigh, of a son.

RUSH.—October 5, at her residence, 43 Nobbs-street, Moore Park, the wife of F. W. S. Rush, of twin daughters (one stillborn).

SLADE.—October 28, at Ellerker, Wahroonga, the wife of J. Elliott Slade, of a son.

Marriages.

PULLOCH—MOAT.—October 27, at the Congregational Church, Balmain, by the Rev. Henry Gainford, Richard Livingstone Pulloch to Ada, fourth daughter of the late William Henry Moat, of Kent, England.

Deaths.

BRAUND.—October 26, at Ruallah, Armidale, Ellen Joyce, infant daughter of George and Rubie Braund, aged 9 months.

DAVIES.—October 31, 1897, at his residence, 79 Stanley-street, Hyde Park, Evan Jones Davies, aged 63 years; for many years on the staff of the "Sydney Morning Herald."

LOVE.—November 1, at Sydney, Alice Emelie Rosa, dearly-beloved wife of Milton S. Love, police magistrate.

MENNER.—October 31, at Sydney, Morris Menner, aged 34, beloved husband of Rebecca Menner, 126 Windsorstreet, Paddington. A loving husband and good father.

MENNER.—Morris Menner, the beloved brother of Mrs. I. Cohen, Elsinore, Bayswater-road; Mrs. N. Levy, Gaiety-street, Melbourne; and Mrs. Joseph Abrahams, Halloween, 103 Glenmore-road.

ROBERTSON.—November 1, at Milton House, Ashfield, Robert Robertson, aged 79 years.

In Memoriam

FOLEY.—In sad but affectionate memory of my dear wife, Elizabeth, and our child, Mary Foley, also our dear mother and sister, who departed this life at Temora 30th October and 2nd November, 1896. At rest. Inserted by J. M. F. G., N. B., and E. Foley.

PHILLIPS.—In loving remembrance of my dear husband, Charles Frederick Leslie Phillips, who was accidentally killed on November 2nd, 1892, by a gas explosion at Sydney Technical College. Inserted by his loving wife and family. Elizabeth Phillips. Dead, but not forgotten.

PHILLIPS.—In loving remembrance of my dear father, Charles F. L. Phillips, who was accidentally killed November 2, 1892. Inserted by his loving daughter and son-in-law, M. A. and W. H. Mitchelmore.

POLAND.—In loving memory of my dear husband, Samuel Poland, who departed this life on November 2, 1896, aged 78. Inserted by his loving wife and children. Elizabeth Poland.

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Victoria	Negri	Graid	Nov. 22	Nov. 27	Dec. 1
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ALBANY FREMANTLE GERALDTON	Cintra, This Day, 5 p.m. Nov. 2 (Change at Melbourne.)
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TOWNSVILLE	Wodonga, This Day, 5 p.m., Nov. 2 Cintra, Wed., Nov. 10
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DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, Tap. and Plush on Solid Walnut Frames
Single and Double Bedsteads, Wire Mattresses and Bedding, Toilet Tables
Kitchen Tables, Safes, Lot of Bedding,
and a Few
MISCELLANEOUS FURNITURE and SUNDRIES.

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have received positive instructions
to sell
THIS DAY, at 11 a.m.,
WITHOUT ANY RESERVE.

THIS DAY, NOVEMBER 2,
At the CITY MART, 64 Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock.

On Account of Whom it may Concern.

WITH ALL FAULTS.

Ex DERWENT:
100 ROLLS 16in. 17-gauge 42in. GALVANISED WIRE-NETTING.
3 BALES CORNSACKS.

Also,
Special Shipment of Ladies' High-grade English and American BICYCLES, fitted with all the latest improvements, including Simpson Lever Chains, Gear Cases, &c.
10 MADISON BICYCLES.
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TERMS, CASH.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 5,
At the CITY MART, 64 Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock.

INDIAN, CEYLON, and CHINA TEAS,
ABOUT 925 PACKAGES.

SALVAGE STOCK, removed from premises of Messrs. Tillock and Co., Kent-street,
MORE or LESS DAMAGED BY FIRE and its CONSEQUENCES.
Under Instructions from the Adjuster, W. N. FARMER, Esq., and on account of whom it may concern.

FRASER, UTHER, and CO. will Sell by Auction as above,
Stock of Teas, removed to City Mart Stores for survey from the premises of Messrs. Tillock and Co., Kent-street, where the bulk can be inspected.

CATALOGUES WILL BE ISSUED.
THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock.

JOHN P. LISTER will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 247a Pitt-street, the Unredeemed Pledges pawned with Mr. W. Berkman, of Ki g-street, Newtown, comprising Clothing, Boots, Blankets, &c.

BUILDING MATERIAL.

TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, at 11 a.m.
At Alma-street, off Edward-street, Pyrmont.
By Direction of the UNDER-SECRETARY,
Department Public Works.
The Whole of the Timber Materials comprised in the Stables, Fodder-house, and a portion of the Storerooms lately occupied by Messrs. Sanders and Co., Pyrmont.

C. F. W. LLOYD and CO. will sell by auction, on TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, at 11 a.m.,
BUILDING MATERIAL,
Without Reserve. Terms, Cash.
Offices: 267 George-street.

In the Supreme Court of New South Wales.
Sheriff's Office, Sydney,
1st November, 1897.

J. W. JAFFRAY v. THE NEW SOUTH WALES MINING and INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 10th day of November 1897, at noon, unless he writ of fieri facias herein be previously satisfied, the Sheriff will cause to be sold by public auction, at the Arbitration Court, Supreme Court, Sydney,
All the Right, Title, and Interest of the New South Wales Mining and Investment Company, Limited, the Defendant Company herein, of, in, and to all the Tramways, Forges, Machines, Engines, Trams, Waggons, Trucks, Machinery, Implements, Boilers, Pumps, Batteries, Tables, Winches, Tools, Rods, and Working Stock and Effects, said to be in, upon, or about the Mining Property of the said Company, known as "The Last Chance Gold Mine," situate at King's Plains, near Hunyee (excepting one Owen's Durlstein Steam Pump), and comprised in a conditional Bill of Sale, dated the 7th day of January, 1897, made between the Defendant Company of the one part and R. S. NELSON and H. E. CALLAN (trading as Nelson and Callan), Financiers, of the other part, registered in the Supreme Court, Sydney (No. 4980).
Terms, Cash. Cheques not taken.
C. E. B. MAYBURY, Sheriff.

A. DE LISSA, Plaintiff's Attorney, Phillip-street, Sydney.

In the Supreme Court of New South Wales.
Sheriff's Office, Sydney,
1st November, 1897.

J. W. JAFFRAY v. THE NEW SOUTH WALES MINING AND INVESTMENT COMPANY, Ltd.

ON FRIDAY, the 3rd day of December, 1897, at noon, unless the writ of fieri facias herein be previously satisfied, the Sheriff will cause to be sold by Public Auction, at the Arbitration Court, Supreme Court, Sydney,
All the Right, title, and interest of the New South Wales Mining and Investment Company, Ltd., the Defendant Company herein, of, in, and to all that the Portion of Land, containing 15 acres, situate in the County of Bathurst, parish of Terrosa, and colony of New South Wales, being Portion P.G.L., No. 1, and the Property known as The Last Chance Gold Mine, together with the appurtenances, being the Land and Premises comprised in indenture of lease made under and in pursuance of the Mining Act of Private Lands Act of 1894, between her Majesty the Queen of the one part, and William Hancock of the other part and then vested in the said Defendant Company), recorded in the Registry of Mining Leases under the said Act, No. 8, of 21st April, 1896, for the term of 21 years, from the 8th day of February, 1896.
Subject to Indenture of Mortgage dated 7th day of January, 1897, made between the New South Wales Mining and Investments Company, Limited, of the one part, and Reginald Solomon Nelson and Edward Henry Callan (trading as Nelson and Callan), Financiers, of the other part.
Registered in the Supreme Court, Sydney, as Bill of Sale No. 4980.
Terms, CASH. CHEQUES NOT TAKEN.
C. E. B. MAYBURY, Sheriff.

A. DE LISSA, Plaintiff's Attorney, Sydney.

Auction Sales.

PUBLIC AUCTION SALE
of
SUBURBAN AND MINING PROPERTIES,
by
BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Limited,
at their
ROOMS, 88 PITT-STREET,
THIS DAY, TUESDAY, 2nd NOVEMBER,
at 11.30 a.m.

ASHFIELD. HOLDEN-STREET SOUTH (Louisa Annie) BUILDING BLOCK, 70ft. by depth of 154ft. 2in. TORRENS TITLE.
SPRINGWOOD. ORCHARD BLOCK of 6a. 3r. 32p., 1 mile from station. Torrens Title.
MERRYLANDS. WOOD PARK LODGE, Cottage of 10 rooms, &c., extensive OUTBUILDINGS. LAND, 14 acres 2 perches. TORRENS TITLE.
PAMBULA. TREASURE Gold Lease, No. 328, area 7½ acres. Tramways, Tools, &c.
INTEREST. All the Official Assignee's Right, Title, and Interest in Estate of L. Harnett, in, to, or upon the Share or Interest of Louisa Harnett in Portion 181, in the Intestate Estate of her Father deceased.
SHARES. 2124 fully paid-up Shares, 787 Contribution Shares paid to 7s 6d, in Mount Stewart Lead and Silver-mining Company, No Liability.
LEADVILLE. TOWNSHIP ALLOTMENTS, 1-5th Undivided Interest in 198 unsold Allotments.

CARDS: to VIEW and full particulars from the Auctioneers,
BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Ltd.

ORDER OF SALE
of SUNDRY PROPERTIES,
to be offered by PUBLIC AUCTION,
at the ROOMS, 181 PITT-STREET,
at Half-past Eleven a.m.,
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 3rd.

CHIPPENDALE. VACANT BUILDING SITE, 20ft. frontage to QUEEN-STREET.
BANKSTOWN. BLOCK OF LAND, 20a. 2r., with old dwelling thereon.
MOSS VALE. RESIDENCE AND GROUNDS of 4a. 3p., known as DUNGARTH.
LAWSON. BUILDING SITE, containing acre.
HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

TEMPE, COOK'S RIVER-ROAD.
FULTENEY HOTEL.
TUESDAY, 16th NOVEMBER, POSITIVE SALE.
SITUATE in an IMPORTANT BUSINESS THOROUGHFARE, the Centre of Enormous Traffic.
IMMEDIATE possession will be given.
The Hotel is substantially built of brick, slate roof, and contains: LARGE BAR, Billiard-room, 2 Dining-rooms, 7 Parlours, 14 Bedrooms, 2 Tower Suites, Kitchen, Laundry, Bathroom, Lavatories, 3 rooms, and large cellar, coachhouse, stabling, and loft.
Adjoining the above is Brick store, with iron roof. Land, 1 acre. Torrens Title.
HUGH DUFF and CO. have received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Saleroom, 109 Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 4th November, at 11.30 a.m.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.
CHATSWOOD, SPLENDID POSITION.
CORNER HERCULES and JOHNSTON STREETS.
Substantially-built BRICK COTTAGE, containing drawing-dining, breakfast, and 3 bed rooms, kitchen, bathroom, pantry, laundry. 1 and 45ft. 3in to Hercules-street by 112ft. 9in. along Johnston-street. More and if required, Title Torrens.
HUGH DUFF and CO. have received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Saleroom, 109 Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, Nov. 4, at 11.30, as above, Aitken and Aitken, 44 Castlereagh-st., solicitors for mortgagee.

CHATSWOOD. GRAND INVESTMENT.
VICTORIA-AVENUE AND BROWN-STREET, CLOSE TO STATION.
COMPACT INVESTMENT.
FAST IMPROVING BUSINESS CENTRE.
FOR ABSOLUTE SALE
2 SHOPS, built of brick, fronting Victoria-avenue, each containing shop, 5 rooms, &c.
2 WELL-BUILT COTTAGES, Victoria-avenue.
LARGE HALL, known as Chatswood Hall, fronting Brown-street, built of brick, tiled roof, fitted with stage, dressing-rooms, &c.
Also, Brick Cottage, adjoining Hall, 3 rooms and kitchen.
Total rents, £331 14s per an.
VICTORIA-AVENUE, about a 5-roomed Cottage, on which is erected W.B. Shop and Workroom, let £30 p. a.
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In the Supreme Court of New South Wales.
Sheriff's Office, Sydney,
1st November, 1897.

H. KRINSON v. O'ROURKE E.

ON FRIDAY, the 5th day of November, 1897, at noon, unless the writ of fieri facias herein be previously satisfied, the Sheriff will cause to be sold by public auction, at the Arbitration Court, Supreme Court, Sydney,
1 Sewing Machine, Safe, Silver Watch and Chain, 2 Gold Necklets, Sundry Pieces Gold and Silver Jewellery. Clothing, &c.
TERMS, PROMPT CASH.
C. F. B. MAYBURY, Sheriff.
E. KRIMSON, for the Plaintiff in person, Sydney.

Naval and Military Notices.

ARMY SERVICE CORPS.—Wanted, a few smart MEN; those accustomed to horses preferred. Height, 5ft. 9in.; chest measurement, 34in. References required. Apply Army Service Corps Office, Victoria Barracks, 7.30 p.m., WEDNESDAY, the 3rd instant.
By order.
R. J. BEAUMAN, Lieutenant.
Adjutant A.S. Corps.

COUGHS, COLDS on the CHEST, BRONCHITIS, and ASTHMA rapidly cured by
BEARNE'S BRONCHITIS CURE.

Those who have taken this medicine are amazed at its wonderful influence. Sufferers from any form of bronchitis, distressing cough, difficulty of breathing, hoarseness, pain and soreness in the chest, experience delightful and immediate relief, and those who are subject to colds on the chest, it is invaluable, as it effects a complete cure.

"Mr. W. G. BEARNE.—Dear Sir,—I had a bad attack of Bronchitis for six months, with dreadful hacking cough day and night, and great quantity of phlegm. Night sweats came on and pains in my chest, and I got so weak that I could not leave my bed. At this stage I was prevailed to be in consultation, and I had a lot of medicines of different kinds, but nothing did me any good until, reading in the 'Age' of your 'Bronchitis Cure,' I got a bottle, and after taking two doses I was much improved. After taking two bottles the cough and night sweats left me, my appetite returned, and I was able to get up; and am now in good health, for which I am truly grateful, and shall recommend your Medicine to all my friends.—Yours truly, E. SMITH, Halcon Park, Whitti, Victoria."

"After suffering from Asthma until I was 47 years old, and having been under a great many different treatments without benefit, I was induced to try Bearne's Medicine for Asthma. After taking three bottles of this medicine, I quite got rid of the Asthma, and since then, which was in the beginning of 1883, 14 years ago, I have not had the slightest return of it. The Medicine quite cured me, and I have much pleasure in recommending it.—ALEX. J. ANDERSON, Geelong, Victoria."

"We, the undersigned, have had occasion to obtain Bearne's Bronchitis cure, and we certify that it was perfectly and rapidly successful under circumstances which undoubtedly prove its distinct healing power." Signed by the Rev. John Sinclair, Merse-street, Geelong, and fifty-nine other leading residents.

Prepared only and sold wholesale and retail by the proprietor, W. G. BEARNE, Chemist, Geelong, Victoria.
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LAW REPORT.

(Monday, November 1.)

BANCO COURT.

(Before the Chief Justice, Mr. Justice Stephen, and Mr. Justice Cohen.)

FALKINER v. M'KEES.

Mr. Scholes, instructed by Mr. F. B. Wilkinson (for Mr. H. L. Wilkinson, of Deniliquin), appeared for the plaintiff, and moved for a rule nisi for a new trial. The action, which was tried before Mr. Justice Cohen and a jury on October 8 last, at the Circuit Court sittings, Deniliquin, was brought by the plaintiff, Franz Sadlier Falkiner, to recover the sum of £500 for alleged trespass by William James M'Kees, a selector, upon Boonooke, the plaintiff's station, from April 1 to June 12, with sheep. The main plea was not guilty. Six witnesses were called for the plaintiff, who gave evidence that they had seen defendant's sheep trespassing upon the run, and one witness gave evidence that the sheep were not trespassing on the run, but were on the boundary road. The jury returned a verdict for the defendant, and the plaintiff now moved to set aside the finding and for a new trial on the ground that the verdict was against evidence. Dr. Sly, instructed by Messrs. Villeneuve-Smith and Dawes (for E. J. Laman, of Deniliquin), appeared to watch the case for defendant.

The Court refused the rule.

SMILES v. BEALE AND COMPANY, LIMITED.

Mr. Wade, instructed by Mr. Thomas Read, appeared for the defendant company and moved for a rule nisi to set aside the verdict and for a new trial. The action, which was tried before Mr. Justice Simpson and a jury at the Tamworth Circuit Court on October 9 last, was brought by Alfred Smiles against Messrs. Beale and Co., Limited, to recover compensation for alleged malicious prosecution. Plaintiff's case was that he was in the service of the defendant company as canvasser in the Narrabri district, and after he had been in their service for some time the defendants prosecuted him on a charge of embezzling the sum of £4 received by him on behalf of the company. The charge was, however, dismissed, and plaintiff then brought an action to recover compensation. The jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff with damages £40, and the defendant company now appealed on the ground that the verdict was against evidence.

The rule was granted.

KERLE AND ANOTHER v. SMITH.

Mr. Wise and Mr. J. L. Campbell, instructed by Messrs. White and Wolstenholme, appeared for the plaintiffs in support of a motion to make absolute a rule nisi to set aside the verdict and for a new trial. Mr. C. B. Stephen and Mr. G. H. C. Simpson, instructed by the Crown Solicitor, appeared for the defendant to show cause. The action, which was tried before Mr. Justice Simpson and a jury of four in June and July of last year and occupied 16 days, was one brought by Harry Wood Kerle and Walter Kerle against Sydney Smith (Minister for Mines and Agriculture), as nominal defendant, to recover the sum of £26,000 in connection with a contract entered into by the plaintiffs with the Government for the construction of a lock and weir over the River Darling near Bourke. The first count of the declaration alleged that defendant prevented plaintiffs from carrying out the contract; the second count charged that the defendant did not allow the plaintiffs to have possession of the site of the work to enable them to perform the work in the time limited, and for taking possession thereof and expelling the plaintiffs therefrom; and the third was for hindering and delaying plaintiffs in the performance of the work. The fourth count charged the defendant with trespassing upon a bridge and staging of the plaintiffs on the River Darling, and there was a fifth count alleging the conversion of certain plant and material, the property of the plaintiffs. The defendant denied the breaches of contract charged, and in reply to the fourth and fifth counts he pleaded that he was justified, under the contract, in cancelling it and taking possession of the plant, &c., under sections 31 and 32. He also said that the plaintiffs were not ready and willing to proceed with and complete the work, and that he therefore exercised his right of cancellation. The plaintiffs, in reply, set up that the alleged unsatisfactory mode of proceeding with the work under the contract was caused by the default and wrongful acts of the defendant in interfering with plaintiffs' possession of the site, and destroying certain necessary structures erected by the plaintiffs. The jury returned a verdict for the defendant on all the counts of the plaintiffs' declarations. On November 13 last year the plaintiffs applied for a rule nisi calling upon defendant to show cause why a verdict should not be entered in his favour absolute or a new trial granted. There were a large number of grounds of appeal, but the Court refused a rule on the majority of them in regard to the verdict found for the defendant on the first, second, third, and fifth counts of the plaintiffs' declaration, but granted the rule calling upon defendant to show cause why the verdict for the defendant on the fourth count should not be set aside on the grounds (1) that the verdict was against evidence and the weight of evidence; (2) that his Honor was in error in leaving it to the jury to find as a question of fact whether the plaintiffs' fourth count taken with the defendant's plea thereto was intended to cover or refer to the trespass committed by the Government by entering upon and removing the materials of the bridge or jetty on November 1, 1895. His Honor also delayed from time to time in consequence of the bankruptcy of one of the partners, and now came on again. Objection was taken on behalf of the defendant that plaintiffs had not given security for costs, and that the assignment by Harry Wood Kerle to Walter Kerle of his interest in the action did not enable the latter to proceed with the appeal, as the assignment was after the verdict, and conveyed no interest.

The case stands part heard.

EQUITY COURT.

(Before Mr. Justice Manning, Chief Judge in Equity.)

HENSON v. BROOKS.

Mr. Waddy, instructed by Mr. H. R. Way, appeared for Madeline Henson who proceeded by her next friend, Samuel Henson; and Mr. F. M. Armstrong and Mr. Macnamara, instructed by Mr. S. E. Bull, appeared for George Groves Brooks, the other defendant, Thomas Hume Kelly, not having entered an appearance. This was a suit for the removal of the defendant Brooks as trustee of the estate of the late James Henson, on the ground of alleged vexatious conduct in neglecting to pass accounts and on the ground that he was insolvent. The petition also asked that an account be taken between the estates of James Henson, deceased, and of Louisa Kelly, deceased. By a will made in 1885 the deceased appointed George Groves Brooks, Louisa Kelly, and trustees, leaving his wife a life interest in the estate. He afterwards made a codicil revoking the appointment of P. J. Weeks as trustee and appointing his wife as trustee with George Groves Brooks. He died in February, 1885, leaving Louisa Henson his wife and four children. Probate, dated May, 1886, was granted. She subsequently married Thomas Hume Kelly, and she sold an hotel, part of the estate, for £2000. She died intestate in June, 1890, and on July 31, 1891, letters of administration were granted to George Groves Brooks, who had in the meantime begun an action against Kelly to compel him to account for the sum of £2000 for the sale of the hotel.

In defence it was set forth that the defendant Brooks did not neglect or refuse to pass accounts, and that it was not true that he had any moneys which should have been paid to the plaintiff. He and past all accounts for which he had funds in hand. He submitted that this suit was not properly constituted and that nothing was alleged on which to found the relief asked for as against him personally. He was willing to transfer the trust to any person of whom the Court approved.

After hearing argument and evidence, his Honor said that by his will James Henson appointed two trustees and left everything to his wife. She was to be allowed to receive the income from the estate, really consisting of an hotel. She was entitled to carry on the hotel without the intervention of the other trustee. She married the defendant Kelly, and sold the hotel, she and her husband receiving the money. Then she died. Then came the time for Brooks to look after matters, and he found out the lady and committed a breach of trust, and that she and her husband received the money. He at once began an action against Kelly to get the money belonging to the estate. A decree was made, and in the course of that he filed such accounts as he was able to do. It was no good filing accounts in the estate of Louisa Kelly, because they were already filed in the suit going on. Then in 1895 Brooks unfortunately became bankrupt. No objection whatever was made to his remaining a trustee on the ground that he was a bankrupt. For two years and upwards the parties had allowed him to deal with the estate. Then suddenly they filed this statement of claim, in which they mixed up him and Kelly, and asked that Kelly or Brooks be made personally responsible for the breach of trust. They had made no sort of case out against Brooks for any breach of trust, and the other man, who was not responsible, had not been served. He was asked to make a decree against a man who could not possibly be liable. Mr. Waddy found that he had to abandon the whole of his claim against Brooks, and that he wanted him removed from the trust. It seemed that Brooks had done nothing that required such an order against him, except that he was a bankrupt. However, he admitted that was sufficient ground for a new trustee, and he was not opposed to anything touching Brooks's personal honour, yet they wanted him to be made pay the costs. The defendant Brooks said he was perfectly prepared to give up the trust. The Court would allow him to retire. He did not think the defendant Brooks was a man who ought to have any star cast upon him. Being a retiring trustee he was entitled to have accounts taken in order that he might get a release from the Court. There would be the ordinary administration decree. The accounts filed in Brooks's suit against Kelly would be taken as filed in this suit. There would be a reference to the Master for the appointment of new trustees. The plaintiff must pay the defendant's costs, and the other costs would be paid out of the estate unless otherwise ordered.

E. S. AND A. BANK v. FERGUSON.

Mr. Knox, instructed by Messrs. Fisher and Macansh, appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. A. H. Lingen, instructed by Mr. John Stinson, agent for Mr. Betts, of Goulburn, appeared for the defendants, Thomas Ferguson, Emma Ferguson (his wife), and Henry Byrnes. The case for the plaintiffs was that in consideration of certain loans, &c., the defendant Thomas Ferguson mortgaged to the plaintiff bank certain properties contained in a schedule. Included in these properties was one known as Myall Farm, of 620 acres, in the parish of Bombala. A sum of £2955 was due to the bank, which had made a demand for a settlement. The defendant Thomas Ferguson denied that he had mortgaged Myall Farm, which he notified the bank had been settled on his wife. The plaintiff bank pleaded that there was no consideration for the conveyance of this land to Mrs. Ferguson, and prayed that on account be taken of what was due, that the defendant Thomas Ferguson be ordered to pay the amount, and that each and all of the defendants be foreclosed from all rights and equity of redemption in the mortgaged properties, including the 620-acre block.

In defence it was alleged that the deeds were deposited with the bank for safe keeping, that the 620-acre farm was not included in the mortgage properties, and that a sum of £146 was paid in consideration of the transfer of the 620-acre block to Mrs. Ferguson. By way of counter claim the defendant prayed that the indenture of mortgage be rectified by omitting the block of 620 acres.

The case stands part heard.

PROBATE COURT.

(Before Mr. Justice A. H. Simpson.)

PROBATES.

Letters of administration were granted in the following estates:—Daniel Ward, Jane Pratt, Samuel H. Wilkinson, Elizabeth A. Bawden, John George Reid.

Probates were granted in the estates of Henry Lloyd, Morris Benjamin, Robert Bosworth, John Emsley, William Beard, Frederick Wieland, and Charles Caine.

TOWNSEND AND ANOTHER v. TOWNSEND AND OTHERS.

(Part heard.)

Mr. Gordon and Mr. Dalton, instructed by Mr. M. E. Isaacs, of Orange (Mr. H. A. Lyons, agent), for the plaintiffs; Mr. Langer Owen, instructed by Mr. F. F. A. Kenna, of Orange (Mr. E. F. Ickerson, agent), for the defendants.

This is a suit arising out of the will of the late George Townsend, of Pretty Plains, near Orange, under circumstances already stated. Further evidence was taken, and the case stands part heard.

DIVORCE COURT.

(Before Mr. Justice Simpson.)

SATTLER v. SATTLER.

Mary Sattler, of Bega, petitioned for a judicial separation from her husband, Joseph Anton Sattler, freeholder, of Bega, on the ground of cruelty. The petitioner also asked for the custody of the two children of the marriage. Mr. Windeyer, instructed by Mr. C. Bull (agent for Mr. W. T. J. Curtis, of Bega), appeared for the petitioner; and Mr. Whitfeld, instructed by Messrs. Rawlinson and Hamilton (agent for Messrs. Rawlinson and Bland, of Bega), for the respondent.

According to the petitioner's statement the parties were married at the Presbyterian church, Bega, on June 9, 1880. Two years after the marriage petitioner left her husband, but was afterwards induced to return. She alleged persistent acts of cruelty on the part of the respondent. On one occasion, when he found that she had sent £1 to a dying sister, he struck her in the face and knocked her down. On another occasion he threatened her with a poker. Respondent was convicted in the vicinity carrying a bag. The articles were found in a house, and Donovan was arrested by a constable while coming to take them away. Both accused were found guilty, and they were each sentenced to 12 months' hard labour. The jury, in returning the verdict, expressed their approbation of the conduct of Mr. Worsley, one of the witnesses in the case.

ALLEGED ATTEMPT TO BREAK AND ENTER.

James Tyson was charged with having, on October 4, attempted to break and enter the dwelling-house of Frederick William Bullock, with intent to steal. He was found guilty and sentenced to 12 months' hard labour.

LAW NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT.—Tuesday, November 2.
Term List.—Motions generally; Motions on Notice—In re genita, &c., ex parte Adam James Wilson, to hand over moneys; Joel v. Hamilton, for leave to appeal to Privy Council; same v. same, to amend rule. Motions, &c.—Ex parte John Finnerun, prohibition; in re the arbitration between John Fenwick (trading as John Fenwick and Co.) and the Port Jackson Co-operative Steamship Company, Limited, to set aside order. District Court Appeals—The Borough of Walls

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—November 1.

Illogamite, s., 2586 tons, Captain A. H. Thorpe, from Melbourne, October 30. Passengers—Mrs. Thorpe and child, L. Bingham, E. Edmonds and child, C. Meynac, Fischer, Frewin, G. Russell, F. Davis, Misses B. Collin, E. Newsom, E. M. Johnstone, C. Higney, R. Barbour, A. Barbour, E. Hill, F. Knox, Messrs. J. Hinde, J. Hill, Rev. Le Bart, Mumme, Cundace, W. J. Cook, J. W. Clarke, A. Maynar, J. Scoullar, G. H. Frewin, Dodman, R. Wilson, G. Pearl, F. Hamilton, R. Cook, C. Greenen, D. Oden, E. Jenkins, J. Taylor, R. Chapman, G. Schulz, E. M'guinness, and 54 in the steerage. Huddart, Parker, and Co., Limited, agents.

Wollongong, s., 2340 tons, Captain J. E. Meaburn, from Melbourne. Passengers—Mesdames J. Bailie, Duncan, Allison and infant, Wickham, Thompson, Cook, J. C. Hamilton, W. Edwards and child, Doherty, M'Connell, Pickworth, James Kennedy, P. Ridley and child, Misses Adamson, Bedford, Lewis, C. Bowden, L. Hocking, Costello, Morris, M'Allister, Teacher Nurse May, Dawes, Knight, T. Grove, T. Adamson, T. Neale, Messrs. T. Vasey, J. Bottle, Duncan, J. M'Cool, C. Bottke, C. Yoke, G. Chessell, H. J. D. Rowell, J. O. Wickham, S. Jenkin Purcell, D. Horsburgh, Thompson, R. Waters, Edens, J. C. M'Crance, W. Hocking, F. Wood, Robinson, M'Kiernan, M'Connell, W. Buchanan, R. Pickworth, Moore, M'Allister, R. Mac-ey, K. Mackenzie, For Queensland ports—Miss J. Lang, Professor Morris, Messrs. A. Laing, J. Bowen, Bridge, Symmons, J. Brice, J. Goldsworthy, T. J. Beanland, N. Herbura, and 49 in the second cabin. Burns, Philp, and Co., Limited, agents.

Allinga, s., 2242 tons, Captain P. D. Davies, from Cairns, via ports. Passengers—Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Lynden, Mrs. Wallace, Mrs. Goldsbrough, Mrs. Halloran, Mrs. Cran, Mrs. M'Caig, Mrs. Rolfe, Mrs. P. Doyle, Mrs. Goldsbrough and 3 children, Mrs. J. Turnbull, Mrs. Sick and maid, Mrs. Barnes, Mrs. Griffiths, Miss A. B. King, Miss Halloran, Miss Carden, Miss Parker, Miss E. Graham, Miss Robertson, Mr. J. Casey, Mr. J. Clements, Mr. J. Lester, Mr. Evans, Mr. Reddin, Mr. Walker, Mr. Lyndon, Mr. Jones, Mr. Graham, Mr. H. V. Fde, Mr. Duvel, Mr. Kolasc, Mr. Goldstein, Mr. Baird, Mr. R. Hunter, Mr. J. Turnbull, Mr. J. S. Bennett, Mr. Highfield, Mr. Jenkin, Mr. Belcher, Mr. H. B. Dempster, Mr. D. Dempster, Mr. D. Anderson, Mr. M'Pherson, and 49 in the second cabin. G. S. Yuill and Co., Limited, agents.

Koonya, s., 118 tons, Captain T. Nicholson, from Wagonga, via Moruya. Passengers—Mesdames W. Collings, Bates, Thornley, Olsen, Evans, Glaston, Miss Bates, Thornley, Olsen, Taylor, Knowles, Keats, Harris, Rantson, On Yee, J. Aubin, agent.

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Koonya, s., from Moruya and ports: 1626 cheese, 17 boxes and 4 keg butter, 134 bales bacon, 104 bales pork, 81 bales and 1 case hides, 6 bundles calfskins, 3 marsupial skins, 36 pigs.

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Innamincka, s., from Melbourne: 1120 bags salt, 7 packages fittings, 16 strippers and poles, 628 bags chaff, 156 sacks potatoes, 20 sacks onions, 21 packages boots and shoes, 11 tin trunks, 24 bundles rakes, 7 packages peaches, 1 package leather, and sundries.

Federal, s., from Melbourne: 223 bales sheepskins.

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Arc, s., from Geelong: 4088 bags chaff, 76 bars nails, 80 tons lead, 70 tons copper, 647 bags twine, 426 bags potatoes, 66 cases brandy, 30 bags maize, 30 packages onions, 12 harvesters, 114 bags onions, 100 bales wool, 805 bags salt, 500 bags flour, 84 packages furniture, 111 bundles bags, 60 cases jams, beer, 20 chests tea, 10 barrels oil, and a quantity of sundries.

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WILSON'S PROMONTORY.—Passed inwards: Outer Light, s., 2586 tons, Captain A. H. Thorpe, from Melbourne, October 30. Passengers—Mesdames Knight and child, L. Bingham, E. Edmonds and child, C. Meynac, Fischer, Frewin, G. Russell, F. Davis, Misses B. Collin, E. Newsom, E. M. Johnstone, C. Higney, R. Barbour, A. Barbour, E. Hill, F. Knox, Messrs. J. Hinde, J. Hill, Rev. Le Bart, Mumme, Cundace, W. J. Cook, J. W. Clarke, A. Maynar, J. Scoullar, G. H. Frewin, Dodman, R. Wilson, G. Pearl, F. Hamilton, R. Cook, C. Greenen, D. Oden, E. Jenkins, J. Taylor, R. Chapman, G. Schulz, E. M'guinness, and 54 in the steerage. Huddart, Parker, and Co., Limited, agents.

Wollongong, s., 2340 tons, Captain J. E. Meaburn, from Melbourne. Passengers—Mesdames J. Bailie, Duncan, Allison and infant, Wickham, Thompson, Cook, J. C. Hamilton, W. Edwards and child, Doherty, M'Connell, Pickworth, James Kennedy, P. Ridley and child, Misses Adamson, Bedford, Lewis, C. Bowden, L. Hocking, Costello, Morris, M'Allister, Teacher Nurse May, Dawes, Knight, T. Grove, T. Adamson, T. Neale, Messrs. T. Vasey, J. Bottle, Duncan, J. M'Cool, C. Bottke, C. Yoke, G. Chessell, H. J. D. Rowell, J. O. Wickham, S. Jenkin Purcell, D. Horsburgh, Thompson, R. Waters, Edens, J. C. M'Crance, W. Hocking, F. Wood, Robinson, M'Kiernan, M'Connell, W. Buchanan, R. Pickworth, Moore, M'Allister, R. Mac-ey, K. Mackenzie, For Queensland ports—Miss J. Lang, Professor Morris, Messrs. A. Laing, J. Bowen, Bridge, Symmons, J. Brice, J. Goldsworthy, T. J. Beanland, N. Herbura, and 49 in the second cabin. Burns, Philp, and Co., Limited, agents.

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WOLLONGONG.—Arrivals: October 31, Civility, s., at noon, Reca, s., at 7.40 p.m., from Sydney.

CROOKHAVEN HEADS.—Departures: November 1, Illawarra, s., at 6.15 a.m., and Coomonderry, s., at 11.15 a.m., for Sydney.

KIAMA.—Departure: November 1, Civility at 5 p.m.

JERVIS BAY.—Passed: November 1, Murray at 6.20 p.m., Allowrie at 6.20 p.m., north.

BATEMAN'S BAY.—Departures: November 1, Allowrie s., at noon, for Sydney.

MORUYA.—Departure: November 1, Murray s., at 11.40 a.m., for Sydney. Passed: November 1, Gabo at 6 p.m., north.

GREEN CAPE.—Passed: November 1, Gabo, s., at 3.50 a.m., north; Bahanoa, s., at 12.30 p.m., north.

GABO ISLAND.—Passed: November 1, Bahanoa, s., at 9 a.m., north; Industry, s., at 10.40 a.m., and Easby, s., at 10.30 a.m., west; Tambo, s., at 3.35 p.m., north; Boston, with hopper barge in tow, at 5 p.m., north.

WILSON'S PROMONTORY.—Passed inwards: Outer Light, s., 2586 tons, Captain A. H. Thorpe, from Melbourne, October 30. Passengers—Mesdames Knight and child, L. Bingham, E. Edmonds and child, C. Meynac, Fischer, Frewin, G. Russell, F. Davis, Misses B. Collin, E. Newsom, E. M. Johnstone, C. Higney, R. Barbour, A. Barbour, E. Hill, F. Knox, Messrs. J. Hinde, J. Hill, Rev. Le Bart, Mumme, Cundace, W. J. Cook, J. W. Clarke, A. Maynar, J. Scoullar, G. H. Frewin, Dodman, R. Wilson, G. Pearl, F. Hamilton, R. Cook, C. Greenen, D. Oden, E. Jenkins, J. Taylor, R. Chapman, G. Schulz, E. M'guinness, and 54 in the steerage. Huddart, Parker, and Co., Limited, agents.

Wollongong, s., 2340 tons, Captain J. E. Meaburn, from Melbourne. Passengers—Mesdames J. Bailie, Duncan, Allison and infant, Wickham, Thompson, Cook, J. C. Hamilton, W. Edwards and child, Doherty, M'Connell, Pickworth, James Kennedy, P. Ridley and child, Misses Adamson, Bedford, Lewis, C. Bowden, L. Hocking, Costello, Morris, M'Allister, Teacher Nurse May, Dawes, Knight, T. Grove, T. Adamson, T. Neale, Messrs. T. Vasey, J. Bottle, Duncan, J. M'Cool, C. Bottke, C. Yoke, G. Chessell, H. J. D. Rowell, J. O. Wickham, S. Jenkin Purcell, D. Horsburgh, Thompson, R. Waters, Edens, J. C. M'Crance, W. Hocking, F. Wood, Robinson, M'Kiernan, M'Connell, W. Buchanan, R. Pickworth, Moore, M'Allister, R. Mac-ey, K. Mackenzie, For Queensland ports—Miss J. Lang, Professor Morris, Messrs. A. Laing, J. Bowen, Bridge, Symmons, J. Brice, J. Goldsworthy, T. J. Beanland, N. Herbura, and 49 in the second cabin. Burns, Philp, and Co., Limited, agents.

Allinga, s., 2242 tons, Captain P. D. Davies, from Cairns, via ports. Passengers—Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Lynden, Mrs. Wallace, Mrs. Goldsbrough, Mrs. Halloran, Mrs. Cran, Mrs. M'Caig, Mrs. Rolfe, Mrs. P. Doyle, Mrs. Goldsbrough and 3 children, Mrs. J. Turnbull, Mrs. Sick and maid, Mrs. Barnes, Mrs. Griffiths, Miss A. B. King, Miss Halloran, Miss Carden, Miss Parker, Miss E. Graham, Miss Robertson, Mr. J. Casey, Mr. J. Clements, Mr. J. Lester, Mr. Evans, Mr. Reddin, Mr. Walker, Mr. Lyndon, Mr. Jones, Mr. Graham, Mr. H. V. Fde, Mr. Duvel, Mr. Kolasc, Mr. Goldstein, Mr. Baird, Mr. R. Hunter, Mr. J. Turnbull, Mr. J. S. Bennett, Mr. Highfield, Mr. Jenkin, Mr. Belcher, Mr. H. B. Dempster, Mr. D. Dempster, Mr. D. Anderson, Mr. M'Pherson, and 49 in the second cabin. G. S. Yuill and Co., Limited, agents.

Koonya, s., 118 tons, Captain T. Nicholson, from Wagonga, via Moruya. Passengers—Mesdames W. Collings, Bates, Thornley, Olsen, Evans, Glaston, Miss Bates, Thornley, Olsen, Taylor, Knowles, Keats, Harris, Rantson, On Yee. J. Aubin, agent.

Aga, s., 2284 tons, Captain J. Redford, from Geelong October 30. Passenger—Mr. F. C. Inmost. Wm. Howard Smith and Sons, Limited, agents.

Illamang, s., 940 tons, Captain G. King, from Brisbane October 30. Passengers—Miss Chappell, Miss Donald. Messrs. Robertson, Campbell, Myers, Birkmyre, and 58 in the steerage. Burns, Philp, and Co. Limited, agents.

Excelsior, s., 301 tons, Captain J. H. Hunter, from Byron Bay, Woolgoolga, and Coff's Harbour. Passengers—Messrs. Willis, Holland, Chappell, Marshel, Brindon. George W. Nicoll, agent.

Cawarra, s., 2448 tons, from Port Pirie October 27. Dangar, Bedger, and Co., agents.

Illawarra, s., 822 tons, Captain Gayle, from South Coast. Illawarra S.N. Company, Limited, agents.

Coomonderry, s., 749 tons, Captain Dixon, from South Coast. Huddart, Parker, and Co., Limited, agents.

Konoowarra, s., 1253 tons, Captain William Hammer, from Brisbane, via Newcastle, October 30. Passengers—Misses Vincent, Olsen, Bennett. Mr. Barnett, and 4 in

his hands being confined in a camisole. On Friday morning just after inspection he burst this camisole, and tearing a strip of sheeting from his bedclothes hung himself to the wirenetting in order to ward window, upending the mattress in order to reach the wire, after which he threw himself down. He was found some 10 minutes after the inspection, but life was quite extinct. The jury returned a verdict of suicide, adding a rider that no blame attached to the officials.

AN OBJECTION TO CADET DRILL.—Speaking last week at the Ballarat Convention of the Victorian Women's Christian Temperance Union, Miss Horsfall is reported by the Melbourne "Argus" to have condemned the system of cadet training. Miss Horsfall, it should be said, was speaking as an opponent of war in every shape. She considered that the system of military drill, more especially in the case of cadets, tended to impair the physique, and thought that a system of physical drill should be substituted.

To-morrow, Wednesday, a combined excursion takes place to Hawkesbury River connecting with the steamer General Gordon, trains leaving Sydney at 9 a.m., and Milson's Point at 8.55 a.m.

At last night's meeting of the Leichhardt Council conferences took place between Mr. Kneshaw, of the Tramway Department, and the aldermen, in reference to the question recently before them of obtaining permission to allow the tramcars to remain on one line only at the termini at night. After a considerable amount of discussion the council decided to accede to the request made by the Department, and rescinded the resolution requesting the tramway authorities to take away the cars at night. A promise being made on behalf of the Department to have the cars lighted at both ends and to have frequent police inspection at night.

A special meeting of the Annandale Council took place on Friday night for the purpose of dealing with the question of the insanitary condition of White's Creek stormwater channel. It was resolved to request the co-operation of the Leichhardt Council in cleaning out the stormwater channel from the end of the concrete channel, at an expense to each council not exceeding £20.

Dr. J. D. Sly has been largely requisitioned to offer himself as alderman for the North Ward of the borough of Ashfield.

Applications for auctioneers' licenses should be lodged by to-day.

The Industrial Prize Competition and Exhibition of Children's Needle and Fancy Work, on behalf of the Children's Hospital at the Glebe, will be held on December 9, 10, and 11. Over 150 prizes will be awarded, and as these prizes are a donation by the Frank Foot and Test Company, Limited (which has also undertaken the whole of the expenses in connection with the exhibition), the competition is confined to children whose parents shall have been customers of the company for at least one month prior to the exhibition.

A musical evening, at which Herr Ernest Staedtgen will sing, is announced for this evening in connection with the Unitarian Literary Society.

The second year's issue of the "Australian Cricket Annual," edited by Mr. J. C. Davis, is just published by Messrs. George Robertson and Co. Mr. Iredale's notes on the English tour last year are very valuable. He advises the team of 1899 to visit the Cape on the way to England. The editor's "Notches from a Notebook" are also good, and the summaries of each colony's cricket by such authorities as Ewing for Tasmania, Moody for South Australia, and Worrall for Victoria, are well done.

In addition to the 13 teams published yesterday as having won prizes in the rifle clubs' competition at the annual meeting of the Rifle Association, the following five clubs won prizes of £10:—Lismore Rifle Club, 350 points; Launceston Rifle Club, 350 points; Alexandria Rifle Club, 349 points; Richmond Rifle Club, 348 points; Wollongong Rifle Club A team, 341 points.

A meeting of the Upholsterers' Society was held at the Trades' Hall last night with the object of bringing about a more perfect union of the furniture trades. Mr. T. Thrower presided. Mr. Bavister, M.L.A., delivered an address, in which he urged the men to carry still further their principles of unionism. The upholsterers could only hope to obtain results by becoming affiliated with the other branches of the furniture trade. Mr. Walker, of the Stonemasons' Society, also delivered an address, and steps were taken for bringing about the proposed affiliation.

Owing to the death of his wife, Mr. Love, D.S.M., did not preside in the Central Summons Court yesterday.

The annual public meeting in connection with the Waverley branch of the Women's Christian Temperance Union was held in the Wesleyan Schoolhall, Bondi, on Monday evening. There was a good attendance. Mrs. A. J. Griffith (president) occupied the chair. The secretary, Miss Griffith, presented the annual report, which was of an encouraging nature. The membership of the local branch was 53, with 10 departments at work. During the year the various grocers in the district had been visited by members of the union, who desired that they should not apply for the renewals of the grocers' wine and spirit licenses. The union felt it their duty to oppose the issue of all such licenses. The treasurer's balance-sheet as presented showed a credit balance of £1 14s 4d. Appropriate addresses were given by the Rev. A. J. Griffith, M.A., the Rev. T. B. Holmes, Miss Pennell (Newtown), Miss Mortimer (Burwood), Miss Flanagan (Glebe), and Mr. Alfred Allen. Mrs. John Clubbe sang "The Holy City," and Miss Estelle Marsh contributed "The Eternal Rest." Mr. Alfred Allen presided at the piano.

Yesterday afternoon a young man named James Coyle, aged 22 years, residing at Grove-street, Balmain, met with a serious accident at Mort's new graving dock. He was walking along near the edge when he tripped and fell to the bottom of the dock a distance of some 30ft. He was conveyed by the Mort's Dock Ambulance Corps to the Balmain Hospital, where it was found he had sustained an injury to his spine and a fractured wound on the left leg. He was admitted by Dr. Gordon-Davidson.

A steaman named James Graham, who is employed at Dalgety's wool store, Miller's Point, was injured yesterday through a bale of wool which had slipped through a hatchway falling upon him. He was rendered unconscious, and was conveyed to the Sydney Hospital by the Civil Ambulance Brigade. It was found that the man had received an injury to his spine.

A wharf labourer named George Hampson, who resides in Burlington-street, Ultimo, was assisting to load a vessel moored at the Union Company's wharf yesterday, when he fell across a plank. He was carrying a bag of potatoes at the time. Graham was rendered unconscious, and in that condition was conveyed to the Sydney Hospital by the Civil Ambulance Brigade.

The Sydney Hospital report for the week ended October 29, 1897, shows that there were:—Admitted, 43 males, 29 females—total, 72; discharged, 33 males, 21 females—total, 56; died, 4 males, 3 females—total, 7; remaining, 189 males, 112 females—total, 301; casualties treated but not admitted, 571; outdoor patients treated, 181.

The Sydney Rescue Work Society reports that during the week ended October 30, 1897, it has provided food and shelter to women and children as under:—Home of Hope, Stanley-street, Newtown—Beds to women, 387; beds to children, 201; meals to women, 1166. Open All-night Refuge, 403 Sussex-street:—Beds to women, 291; beds to children, 198; meals to women, 600.

THE AXEMEN'S CARNIVAL.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

The Axemen's Carnival was continued at the exhibition to-day in cold, wet, and gusty weather. The first and second heats in the second round of the £200 handicap afforded an opportunity of witnessing some of the most expert axemen of the colonies at work. R. McKenna (Tasmania) cut through a standing block 4ft. 8in. in girth in 2 minutes 18 seconds. In the handicap chop of £100 T. M. Macinally made the record of the day, cutting through an 18in. log in 2 minutes 49 seconds. The final for these two events will come off later in the week. The maiden chop was won by Febey (Tasmania).

A HURRICANE AT TEMORA.

A CHILD KILLED BY A SHEET OF BARK.

TEMORA, Monday.

During the whole of yesterday the wind blew with great violence, and the town was enveloped in dust all day long. At Narrabarra, some 16 miles from Temora, the wind blew the roof off a shed at Thomas Kite's place. Several of Mr. Kite's children were playing about at the time, and a sheet of bark from the roof in falling struck a girl 14 years of age, and rendered her insensible. On being examined it was found she was suffering from concussion of the brain. She never rallied, and died whilst being conveyed to a doctor at Temora.

TO-DAY.

Opera Recital: Town Hall, 8 p.m.
Australian Economic Association: Monthly Meeting, 8 p.m.
Unitarian Literary Society: Popular Musical Evening, 8 p.m.
Pitt-street Wesleyan Church: Lecture by Rev. J. Berry, 8 p.m.
Government Printing Office Dramatic Society: Opera House, "My Partner," 8 p.m.
Liberal Club: Ballot Meeting, 1 p.m.
Meeting of Irishmen: At the Guild Hall, Castlereagh-street, 8 p.m.
Annual Meeting Gleaners' Union: Y.M.C.A., 4.30 p.m.
I.O.L., No. 50: St. David's Hall, Arthur-street 8 p.m.
The St. Luke's Exhibition Fair, Exhibition Building: 2 to 5.30 p.m. and 7 to 10 p.m.
Royal Standard Theatre: "Rip Van Winkle," 8 p.m.
Society of Artists' Spring Exhibition: Vickery's-chambers, 76 Pitt-street, 10 a.m. till 5.30 p.m.
Cyclorama, opposite Redfern Railway Station: Open 10 a.m. to 5.30 p.m. and 7 to 10 p.m.
Pépinchair, 82 King-street: Open all day.
Her Majesty's Theatre: "Two Little Vagabonds," 7.45 p.m.
Tivoli Theatre: Variety Entertainment, 8 p.m.
Lyceum Theatre: "Fallen Among Thieves," 8 p.m.

SPECIAL CABLES.

FROM THE "HERALD'S" LONDON CORRESPONDENTS.

WEST AFRICA.

BRITISH AND FRENCH INTERESTS.

LONDON, Oct. 31.

Germany claims Gandu, in the Middle Niger Valley, West Africa, alleging that Great Britain has no treaty with the King of Gandu.

Nov. 1.

A party is being formed in the French Chamber of Deputies and the Senate to defend French rights in West Africa and to prevent British encroachments.

It is suggested that the points in dispute between Great Britain and France should be submitted to arbitration, with the Emperor of Austria as arbitrator.

THE SOUDAN.

OCCUPATION OF KASSALA.

LONDON, Oct. 29.

A force of Egyptian troops will occupy Kassala, in the Eastern Soudan, on its evacuation by the Italians.

THE LATE LORD ROSMEAD.

HIS CAREER EULOGISED BY THE ENGLISH PRESS.

DEATH OF A "TRUE PATRIOT."

LONDON, Oct. 31.

The sudden death of Lord Rosmead (Sir Hercules Robinson) is referred to in terms of deep regret by the London press, and the newspapers in speaking eulogistically of his career as an able servant of the British Crown state that his actions have always been those of a true patriot.

THE LATE HENRY GEORGE.

50,000 ARTISANS TO ATTEND HIS FUNERAL.

LONDON, Oct. 31.

The artisans of New York have arranged to show their respect for the late Henry George, the author of "Progress and Poverty," by following his remains to their last resting place. It is expected that some 50,000 artisans connected with the trades-unions of New York will attend the funeral.

ANDREE'S BALLOON VOYAGE.

A RELIEF EXPEDITION.

LONDON, Nov. 1.

A Norwegian relief expedition has been fitted out to proceed in search of Herr Andree, who set out from Dane's Island, Spitzbergen, on a balloon voyage to the North Pole.

The expedition will sail immediately for Tromso and Spitzbergen, and will be provisioned for six months.

THE ENGINEERS' STRIKE.

LONDON, Oct. 31.

Mr. E. G. Barnes, of the Amalgamated Society of Engineers, stated in an interview to-day that if the engineers on strike are beaten in the struggle that is taking place between them and their employers, they will close up their ranks and endeavour to secure the concessions they demand with regard to reduced hours of labour and other minor privileges by an Act of Parliament.

The Cotton Operatives' Associations have rejected the proposed reduction of 5 per cent. in wages.

GENERAL ELECTIONS IN NEWFOUNDLAND.

A MINISTERIAL DEFEAT.

LONDON, Nov. 1.

At the general elections in Newfoundland, which have just taken place, Sir William Whiteway (the Premier) and two of his colleagues were defeated by overwhelming majorities.

REFORMS IN GERMANY.

LONDON, Oct. 31.

The German Emperor has authorised Prince Hohenlohe, the Chancellor of the Empire, to submit measures for the reform of the military and judicial procedure.

THE TYPHOID EPIDEMIC AT MAIDSTONE.

THE FEVER ABATING.

LONDON, Oct. 31.

The virulence of the typhoid fever epidemic, which has caused so many deaths at Maidstone, in Kent, and which led to the Lord Mayor of London opening a fund for the relief of the sufferers, as well as those dependent upon those who succumbed to the fever, is now abating.

THE ENGLISH CRICKETERS.

LONDON, Oct. 31.

The residence of Richardson, the Surrey bowler, at Thames Ditton, has been entered by burglars.

SCULLING IN ENGLAND.

TOWNS v. BARRY.

LONDON, Oct. 31.

George Towns, the Hunter River sculler, has declined to row W. A. Barry, the English sculler, until the spring.

ENGLISH SPORTING.

ANOTHER VICTORY FOR MERMAN.

LONDON, Oct. 31.

At the Hurst Park meeting yesterday "Mr. Jersey's" (Mrs. Langtry) Australian-bred chestnut horse Merman, by Grand Flaneur—Seaweed, 5 years, won the Long Distance Plate in a canter.

FAITHFUL UNTO DEATH.

Sir Henry Hopgood was found on his death bed with one of Ogden's Guinea Gold Cigarettes in his mouth. True to the last.—Advt.

INDIAN FRONTIER WAR.

THE BRITISH ADVANCE.

FURTHER SUCCESSES.

FLIGHT OF THE ENEMY.

THE EXPEDITION ABOUT TO ENTER TIRAH.

LONDON, Oct. 31.

The Peshawur column of General Sir William Lockhart's force is concentrated close to the Khyber Pass.

Nov. 1.

In a letter to the British Agent at Cabul (Maulvi Ghafur Khan) the Ameer of Afghanistan states that the Afridis and the Orakzais had asked him to submit on their behalf an apology to Sir William Lockhart, and to ascertain the conditions of pardon. The Ameer added that if the punishment of the tribesmen had been ordered it would be unnecessary to parley. They deserved every punishment, and if the Afridis sought refuge in Afghanistan he would not permit them to interfere with British territory.

Sir William Lockhart's force has captured the Arhanga Pass.

Brigadier General Westmacott seized the enemy's villages covering the British advance. The artillery destroyed the Sangars.

The Goorkhas gained the crest of the heights. The enemy was weak and fled from its position.

Sir William Lockhart's force will enter Tirah, the objective point of the expedition, immediately.

The Mastura tribesmen burned their villages before retiring. The Mullah, Said Akbar, fled to Jarabad.

The Ameer is endeavouring to arrest the Mullah of Hadda.

THE CUBAN REVOLT.

LONDON, Nov. 1.

News from Havannah states that the party in Cuba favouring the establishment of autonomy has decided to support General Blanco, the new Spanish Commander-in-Chief.

THE SITUATION IN CRETE.

LONDON, Nov. 1.

The Porte has despatched a note to the Powers objecting to the appointment of Colonel Schaeffer, of the Grand Duchy of Luxemburg, as Governor of Crete.

THE TRANSVAAL MINES.

CHEAP PORTUGUESE LABOUR.

LONDON, Nov. 1.

Dr. Leyds, the Transvaal Secretary of State, has arranged to obtain a supply of native labour from the Delagoa Bay Territory (Portuguese) for the mines in the Transvaal at a reduced rate of wages.

THE CANADIAN MAIL SERVICE.

LONDON, Nov. 1.

The Canadian Government has virtually concluded a contract with the Beaver Line for a weekly mail service between Canada and Liverpool. St. John, New Brunswick, is to be the winter terminus, and Montreal the summer terminus.

THE ENGLISH JUDICIARY.

LONDON, Nov. 1.

Mr. Arthur Moseley Channell, Q.C., Recorder of Rochester, has been appointed to succeed Sir Roland Vaughan Williams as a Judge of the Queen's Bench Division of the High Court of Justice.

RAILWAYS IN CHINA.

LONDON, Nov. 1.

Mr. E. T. Hooley, the millionaire, has received a telegram from his representative in Pekin, China, stating that the contract of the syndicate formed by Mr. Hooley for the construction of a line of railway between Shanghai, Suchau, and Nanking has been accepted.

The syndicate formed by Mr. E. T. Hooley agreed to advance a sum of £2,000,000 for the construction of a line of railway between Shanghai, Suchau, and Nanking, and an additional £3,000,000 for the extension of the line to the province of Hu-Nan.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

A CHILD PARRICIDE.

TERRIBLE OCCURRENCE AT CUE.

CUE (W.A.), Sunday.

A boy, aged 7, shot his father, Luke Snow, this afternoon. The boy thought that his father, who was the owner of a shooting gallery, was hurting his mother, and picked up a gallery rifle to frighten Snow. The rifle was loaded, and the bullet took effect in the right armpit. Snow staggered and fell. A doctor was summoned to the assistance of the wounded man, who was still conscious, but he shortly afterwards expired. The wound was very small. Deceased leaves two boys—Luke, who fired the fatal shot, and another aged 14. Snow was well known in Adelaide and Broken Hill. He arrived from the latter place three years ago.

NEW ZEALAND.

AUCKLAND, Monday.

An extraordinary native trouble has occurred in the Taranaki district. The Maoris, to show their dissatisfaction at the administration of their lands by the Public Trustee, commenced ploughing over the lands leased to Europeans. Seventy-three were arrested and sentenced to two months' imprisonment. They marched to the courthouse playing music, and danced Hakas before and after the trial.

The dispute between the Wellington master builders and carpenters is now before the conciliation board. Several concessions have been agreed to, and others are under consideration. The relations between the masters and the men are good.

The New Zealand Accountants' Institute has received replies from the kindred societies of Queensland, New South Wales, and South Australia, agreeing to a system of co-operation. South Australia suggests that the same examination papers be used in all the colonies.

The Public Trustee denies that his administration was the cause of the Taranaki native disturbance.

BOOMERANG BRANDY.
Two Gold Medals, Brussels Exhibition.

BRYANT and MAY'S VESTAS,
FULL SIZE, FULL COUNT.
See that Bryant and May's Name is on every Box.

WATERBURY WATCHES,
Unrivalled for Time-keeping Qualities.
The best of time at the smallest cost.—Advt.

VICTORIA.

THE CUSTOMS REVENUE.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

The Customs revenue for the four months of the financial year which have now elapsed amounts to £722,953, being £1370 above the departmental estimate for the period. Last month the total collections came to £175,702. Drawbacks were allowed to the extent of £11,841, so that the net revenue was £163,861. This is £16,535 below the estimate for the month. The net revenue for September was £185,087, and for October last year £193,787.

THE WEATHER IN MELBOURNE.

The weather prospects for Cup Day are decidedly bad. The wind blew during to-day with the force of a gale, with occasional rain squalls, and at a late hour to-night heavy rain set in.

The Savings Banks Commissioners to-day disposed of £16,400 worth of 3 per cent. mortgage bonds. The public tendered for £2350, and the Commissioners took up the balance of £14,050. Bonds have now been issued under the Credit Foncier system for a total amount of £322,400.

The barque Elizabeth Graham, which grounded in the channel on Sunday, has been towed off, and proceeded on her voyage to Newcastle. The barque Ione, which left Newcastle on October 4 for Mauritius, put into Hobson's Bay to-day to repair damage caused by tempestuous weather.

The quantity of Victorian gold received at the Melbourne Mint for the month of October was 55,143oz., as compared with 58,048oz. for October last year.

A railway fatality was reported to-night from Talbot, Mrs. Hansen, wife of an hotelkeeper, was run down and killed while crossing the railway bridge.

INTERNATIONAL CRICKET.

ENGLAND v. SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

A DRAWN GAME.

ADELAIDE, Monday.

The fourth and last day's play in the cricket match between Stoddart's team and the South Australian Eleven was continued a few minutes after noon to-day. The weather had changed wonderfully since Saturday. The pleasant conditions that ruled then had given way to a boisterous sou'-wester. If it had not been for the wind, however, the wicket would probably have been sticky, because a few smart showers had fallen during the early hours of the morning. Walter Giffen, accompanied Reedman, who had 15 to his credit, to the wickets. Hirst and Richardson were the bowlers, the latter having to send them up against the breeze. The wicket seemed to play fairly well. The South Australians reckoned they had no reasonable chance of securing a win, but with a bowler like Richardson against them they agreed that they would have to be careful to hold a draw in hand. Reedman adopted a vigorous policy, but the fielding was so smart that he could not get the ball through easily. Once, however, he earned 4 for a cover hit off Hirst, followed by 4 for a pretty cut. Giffen's score began with a quintet of twos, most of them off Richardson, whom he subsequently straight-hit for 4, a fine stroke. At half-past 12, with the score at 150, the players adjourned to shelter from a mild drizzling rain. In a quarter of an hour they came out again, but the clouds had not finished spotting, and, much to the amusement of the spectators, the Englishmen hurried off again; but in five minutes the sun was shining and play went on, with Richardson and Hearne as bowlers. After a couple of overs another adjournment became necessary. The rain this time was heavier, and it was not until a quarter past 1 that play was resumed. Then only two overs were bowled before a drizzle recommenced, and the game was adjourned for luncheon. It was still drizzling at a quarter-past 2, but a quarter of an hour later the players filed out. Hearne and Hayward were the bowlers. Giffen was the first to move along. Then Reedman finely drove Hayward for 4 and late-cut the next for 3. In the Surreyman's next over he ventured upon a big hit, with the result that he gave Hirst a chance that was accepted. The partnership had put on exactly 50 runs, and Reedman had played nice cricket. Evans began by leg-glancing a ball from each bowler, two neat strokes that earned 5 runs. In connection with was unusually daring, quickly reached 30. But Hearne had him in trouble, and M'Laren at mid-off was given an opportunity to make a pretty catch. Fred. Jarvis joined Giffen. Shortly afterwards, much to the amusement of the spectators, M'Laren threw a ball to Brajtchaji. The pause had only time for one over, a maiden, before the rain once more drove the players off for the last time.

The following are the scores:—

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.—First Innings.

J. Darling, c and b Richardson	0
J. J. Lyons, c Briggs, b Hirst	50
C. Hill, b Richardson	200
J. Reedman, c Hirst, b Hearne	22
W. Giffen, b Richardson	13
A. E. Jarvis, b Hearne	20
F. Jarvis, c Mason, b Richardson	29
A. Green, b Richardson	4
T. M. Drew, not out	5
E. Jones, c Brajtchaji, b Hearne	12
J. M'Kenzie, c Mason, b Richardson	11
Sundries	6
Total	403

Bowling Analysis.—Hayward, 1 for 22; Hearne, 3 for 86; Richardson, 6 for 120; Hirst, 1 for 74; Wainwright, 0 for 20; Briggs, 0 for 30.

ENGLAND.—First Innings.

A. C. M'Laren, b Evans	6
J. R. Mason, b Jones	78
T. Hayward, c Evans, b Jones	7
S. F. Brajtchaji, c Drew, b Green	180
E. Wainwright, b Jones	30
G. H. Hirst, b Jones	16
W. Storer, b Jones	84
J. Briggs, b Jones	1
J. T. Hearne, not out	31
W. Richardson, b Jones	0
A. E. Stoddart (absent)	0
Sundries	34
Total	475

Bowling Analysis.—Lyons, 0 for 29; Jarvis, 0 for 32; Reedman, 0 for 30; Jones, 7 for 140; Evans, 1 for 93; Green, 1 for 32.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.—Second Innings.

Darling, b Hirst	1
Hill, c and b Richardson	45
Lyons, b Richardson	57
Reedman, c Hirst, b Hayward	37
Evans, c M'Laren, b Hearne	0
W. Giffen, not out	28
Jarvis, not out	0
Sundries	11
Five wickets for	187

Bowling Analysis.—Hirst, 11 overs, 4 maidens, 37 runs, 1 wicket; Richardson, 19 overs, 6 maidens, 70 runs, 2 wickets; Hearne, 15 overs, 5 maidens, 32 runs, 1 wicket; Briggs, 2 overs, 0 maidens, 5 runs, 0 wickets; Hayward, 6 overs, 1 maiden, 22 runs, 1 wicket; Brajtchaji, 1 over, 1 maiden, 0 runs.

Hirst bowled one no ball.

The methods of distributing £50, which had been given by a prominent Adelaide gentleman for prizes to the South Australians in connection with the cricket match was decided on. Immediately after the game was concluded the South Australian team met, and without any trouble awarded £10 for the highest score in the match to Hill, and also £5 for top scores in the first innings. £5 for top score in the second innings went to Lyons. The bowling fell to Jones, who appropriates the whole of the £20 for this department, which left £10 for fielding. After discussion it was decided to exclude Jones and Hill, and divide the amount among the other nine.

The Englishmen left by express this afternoon for Melbourne. A large crowd gathered at the station, and the train moved off amid hearty cheers.

The Englishmen have got through their first engagement on Australian soil, and although the contest occupied three days, starting at 11 a.m and closing at 6 p.m., and about half of the fourth day, the result was an unsatisfactory draw, and one that was, so far as it is possible to tell in a game of cricket, still very far from conclusive. It is not at all unlikely that, with fine weather and perfect wickets, most of those fixtures which are not specially provided to be played out will, similarly to this one, remain unfinished. It is too early in the campaign to sum up the visiting team, for it would be next to impossible for all of the members thereof to have had time to strike their form. Nevertheless the opening effort, more especially with the bat, must be admitted to be a good one, when all the circumstances are taken into consideration. The success of the Indian Prince has been received with unanimous approval, and already the bowlers in this colony are working out designs for his dismissal. It is true that he had much more than a fair share of luck in being missed on several occasions, but that is what one may expect sometimes when a batsman bowls such as Jones is at work. It shows that if there be an advantage in this unscientific, brute-force bowling, there are also disadvantages. It is rather remarkable that Storer, who during the latter half of the last English season experienced great difficulty in getting into big figures, should have almost reached the century after the enforced absence from the batting crease for over a month, and it is satisfactory to note that Mason also performed well. As might have been anticipated Richardson and Jones had to bear the brunt of the attack for their respective countries, and with regard to the former that experience will extend to the end of the tour. He came out of the ordeal fairly well, and Hearne, who was regarded, next to Richardson, as being the weakest batsman in the combination, proved that he, too, can get runs. The palm in the batting must be awarded to Hill, who played a masterly and lengthy innings, and with but very little assistance from Dame Fortune. Jarvis also exhibited good batting. An unpleasant feature in the contest, and one that may seriously interfere with our prestige in the test matches, was the cautioning and subsequent "no-balling" of Jones, the South Australian fast bowler, by Phillips, the Englishmen's umpire. As Phillips umpired for the last Australian Eleven in England, and did not then no-ball Jones, it would appear as though the alleged objectionable movement of the arm had developed since that tour. It will be remembered that a section of the English press stated that Jones's bowling was open to condemnation. Viewing the match generally it is difficult to say which side would have proved the victors. The game closed at a very even point, and the wicket could not have been improving.

QUEENSLAND.

BRISBANE, Monday.

A severe thunderstorm passed over Brisbane and suburbs early this afternoon. The hailstones were very large, and the ground for hours afterwards presented the appearance of a snowfield. Much damage was done to the roofs and the windows of houses. The Exhibition Buildings and the Hospital sustained severe damage to the roofs. The nurses' new quarters, known as the Lamington Home, were completely riddled. The Acclimatisation Gardens were badly damaged. It was the most severe hailstorm ever remembered here. During the storm a drayman named T. Larkin, employed at the Castlemaine Brewery, was knocked down by a passing train while crossing the railway line near the brewery, and carried under the cowcatcher a short distance. He was terribly injured, and was carried to the hospital in a dying condition.

Great satisfaction is expressed in the central districts over the visit by Mr. Pound, Government Bacteriologist, for the purpose of giving practical demonstrations in the inoculation of cattle against ticks. Mr Pound has handed in a report dealing with the past as the result of his observations and experiments.

TASMANIA.

THE POLITICAL SITUATION.

HOBART, Monday.

A meeting, convened by the Mayor at the request of the Hobart citizens, was held in the Town Hall this evening to consider the present political situation. The following resolutions were carried:—"That this meeting urges members of Parliament to support the amendment moved by Captain Miles, and not to accept any alternative proposal." "That the electors of Hobart in public meeting assembled express regret that Sir Philip Fysh, one of their representatives, has refused to accept and support the amendment of Captain Miles, which amendment embodies a vital principle of constitutional government, and resolves that Sir Philip Fysh be requested to resign the Treasurership of the colony." None of the city members spoke.

The consolidated revenue for October amounted to £88,051, as compared with £80,007 in October, 1896.

The mineral exports for October aggregate in value £56,427, as compared with £38,279 for October last year.

The schooner Jerfalcon, arriving at Launceston to-day from Malden Island, brought the second mate and crew of the ship Commodore, which was wrecked there on September 3 while on the voyage to New York.

AUSTRALIAN CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP.

WILLIAM CRANE, JUN., v. J. L. JACOBSEN.

The match between the above players was advanced another stage last night, when the adjourned second game was concluded in Mr. Jacobsen's favour after a quarter of an hour's play. The third game was begun at 8 o'clock, and progressed to the 30th move, when play ceased for the night. In this game Mr. Crane selected the opening known as the Ruy Lopez, and the game was defended by Mr. Jacobsen in orthodox fashion on the lines recommended by Steinitz and Lasker. When the position came to be opened up into the middle game there was little to choose between the respective forces. Mr. Jacobsen's pieces were somewhat restricted in their action, and the result of this "cramp" was the gain of a Pawn by Mr. Crane at the 27th move.

We give below the complete score of the second game and the record of the third game to the 30th move:—

GAME II.
October 28, 1897.

White. (J. L. Jacobsen.)	Black. (W. Crane, jun.)
1. P to K 4	1. P to K 4
2. Kt to K B 3	2. Kt to Q B 3
3. B to Kt 5	3. Kt to B 3
4. P to Q 4	4. P takes P
5. B to K 2	5. B to K 2
6. Castles	6. P to K 3
7. P to K 5	7. Kt to K 5
8. Kt takes P	8. Kt to B 4
9. B takes Kt	9. Q P takes B
10. Kt to Q B 3	10. Castles
11. R to K 3	11. P to B 3
12. P takes P	12. P takes P.
13. Q to K 2	13. R to Kt 3 (a)
14. P to B 4 (b)	14. B to K 6 (c)
15. R to B 2	15. P to K t 4 (d)
16. P to B 5	16. R to Kt 5
17. Kt (B 4) Q 3	17. P to K 1
18. B takes B	18. B takes Q
19. Kt takes B ch	19. K to R 1
20. R takes B	20. R to R 5
21. Kt to Kt 6 ch	21. P takes Kt
22. R takes Q	22. R takes R
23. P takes P	23. R takes P (Kt 3)
24. R to Q 1	24. R to Q B 3
25. Sealed.	

BLACK (Mr. Crane).

WHITE (Mr. Jacobsen).
White to play.

GAME II. (continued).
November 1, 1897.

WHITE (J. L. Jacobsen).	BLACK (W. Crane, jun.).
25. P to Q Kt 4 (sealed)	25. R to B 3 (f)
26. P to K 3	26. R to B 2
27. R to Q 4	27. R to K 8 ch
28. K to R 2	28. R to Q B 8 (g)
29. Kt to K 4	29. P to Kt 3
30. R to Q 8 ch	30. K to Kt 1
31. B to Q 4 ch	Resigns.

(a). The best moves in this form of the "Lopez" have been played to this point.

(b). A strong stroke, to which black could not find a sufficient answer.

(c). This does not turn out well for black.

(d). This violation of the principles meets with speedy punishment.

(e). This beautiful move introduces a combination which was much admired by connoisseurs of the game.

(f). This rook should have gone to K 3.

(g). A mistake, but the game was hopeless for black.

GAME III.
November 1, 1897.

WHITE (W. Crane, jun.).	BLACK (J. L. Jacobsen).
1. P to K 4	1. P to K 4
2. Kt to K B 3	2. Kt to Q B 3
3. B to Kt 5	3. Kt to B 3
4. Castles	4. Kt takes P
5. P to Q 4	5. B to K 2
6. Q to K 2	6. Kt to Q 3
7. B takes Kt	7. Kt P takes B
8. P takes P	8. Kt to Kt 2
9. R to Q 1	9. Castles
10. Q to K 1	10. R to B 4
11. Kt to Q B 3	11. R to B 4
12. R to Kt 3	12. B to Kt 3
13. P to Q R 4	13. P to Q R 4
14. R to Q 3	14. P to B 5
15. P takes P	15. Q takes Q
16. Kt takes Q	16. R takes P
17. B to K 3	17. Kt to Q 3
18. B to Q 4	18. R takes B
19. R takes B	19. B to R 3
20. Kt to Kt 3	20. Q R to K B 1
21. P to K B 3	21. R to Kt 1
22. R to Kt 1 (a)	22. B to B 5
23. Kt to Q B 5	23. B to K 3
24. Kt to B 5	24. R to R 3
25. Kt to B 4	25. B to B 4
26. Kt (B 4) Q 3	26. B takes Kt
27. R takes B	27. R to R 4
28. Kt takes P	28. R to Q 1
29. P to K Kt 4	29. R to Q 4
30. R takes R	30. P takes R
31. (Sealed).	

BLACK (Mr. Jacobsen), 8 pieces.

WHITE (Mr. Crane), 9 pieces.
White to play.

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SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

THE FEDERATION LEAGUE.

ADELAIDE, Monday.

The third annual meeting of the Federation League was held to-night. Mr. J. H. Symon was re-elected president. In the course of a spirited address he said he was afraid Queensland was not very zealous, but they could not wait long for Queensland. He would deeply deplore the fact if she was not with the other colonies; but if she would not come in they must do their level best without her. The fortunes and destinies of Australia did not depend upon Queensland. He lamented also the apparent hostility of a large section in New South Wales. He thought they would sink freetrade if Sydney were made the federal capital; but he did not think it would be a good thing for Sydney to be the site of the capital.

OFFER TO PURCHASE COIL.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

Mr. T. Axtell, on behalf of himself and others, made an offer to-day through T. Paten, the trainer, to purchase Coil for £2000, and to give the present owner half the Melbourne Cup stake should he win the race. A condition was that the delivery of the horse should be given before the race was run. Payten telegraphed the offer to Mr. Bailey at Ballarat, but up to a late hour to-night no reply had been received from him.

COUNTRY NEWS.

A FATAL SNAKEBITE.

GOULBURN, Monday.

A patient in the Kenmore Hospital for the Insane named Lachlan Macpherson whilst working in the grounds of the hospital on Thursday afternoon accidentally trod on a brown snake, which turned and bit him on the calf of the left leg. Although only a slight wound was inflicted Macpherson gradually sank, and died on Saturday.

BOISTEROUS GALES AND HEAVY SNOW.

KIANDRA, Monday.

The weather during the past fortnight has been very boisterous. Strong north-west gales, at times of hurricane force, have blown continually. Heavy snow commenced falling this morning, continuing throughout the day, the total amount registered being 28 points.

ADELONG, Monday.

Samuel Crompton, 65 years of age, for a long time resident here and an old miner, met with a terrible death last week. On Thursday last he was staying with his son at Sandy Gully, about two miles from town, and in the evening went to visit a neighbour named Lawson. He left Lawson's to go back to his son's at about half-past 7, saying he would get home before dark. He missed the track and fell down a deep creek. He was able to draw himself into a reclining position on the opposite bank, and apparently remain there. As he did not come home on Thursday night his son surmised he had gone to one of his married daughter's homes, as he frequently did, and therefore no search was made till Saturday night when it became known that he was not at his daughter's. Search being renewed a coat and cap were found, though it was evident life had not been extinct many hours. The place where he fell was within half a mile of his son's residence and not more than 200 yards from another settler's house. He must have been too much hurt to make himself heard. Mr. A. W. Molineaux, the district coroner, held an inquest to-day, when a verdict of accidental death was returned. Deceased was greatly respected.

BROKEN HILL, Monday.

The body of the man conjectured to have been drowned in Dickenson's shaft, Block 12 of the Proprietary, was recovered at 1.30 this morning after about 13 hours' grappling. The men's name was John M'Bain Grant, aged 25, a fitter's labourer. At an inquest held to-day it was elicited that Grant was at work with the others fixing a pump in the shaft. The bucket had been emptied, and Grant was ready to return to the surface, when he was suddenly missed, and all search for him at the time was fruitless. It is supposed he was seized with a fit wh

lost five wickets for 110 runs. In the match Newcastle West v. Wickham the former, who occupied the wickets during the whole of the afternoon, lost five wickets for 250 runs. The Stockton Club in the match against Lambton made 172 in the first innings, and their opponents scored 40 runs for the loss of one wicket.

The anniversary services in connection with the Merewether Welsh Baptist Church were conducted on Sunday. Sermons were preached both in English and Welsh.

Miss Mollston, a missionary from India, preached at the Newcastle Baptist Tabernacle on Sunday.

At the next meeting of the Newcastle Eight-hours Demonstration Committee the following notice of motion will be discussed,—"That the Eight-hours Committee should hold office for 12 months, and should meet in the first week of each month for the purpose of discussing matters affecting the eight-hours principle, and also to decide on any steps that may be deemed necessary to further the cause."

The license of the Great Northern Hotel has been transferred from Alexander Watt to Peter Young.

The prizes won in connection with the recent Eight-hours Sports Demonstration were paid over to the successful competitors on Saturday night.

The tenth annual Newcastle Eisteddfod has been fixed for January 25, 26.

Arrangements have been completed for the Highland Gathering to be held under the auspices of the Caledonian society on the Rugby Union Football Ground on November 9.

A SUCCESSFUL BUILDING SOCIETY.

WAGGA, Monday.

The twenty-seventh annual meeting of the Wagga Building and Investment Society was held on Saturday. Mr C. Hardy, chairman of directors, presided. The report and balance-sheet were adopted. The former stated that the directors recommended, after deducting the expenses of management and making the usual appropriation of 5 per cent. from the net profits to the reserve fund, payment of a dividend at the rate of 2½ per cent., leaving a balance of £1235 to be carried forward to the profit and loss account. The reserve now has a credit of £2782. Acting upon resolutions adopted this January the directors have refunded to the shareholders 33½ per cent. of the amount of the share capital, thus reducing the society's liabilities to the shareholders from £12,900 to £8600, and the board will make a special effort to further reduce this liability as soon as mortgaged properties and bank deposit receipts can be realised to advantage. William Rand and W. J. Monks were re-elected directors.

AMUSEMENTS.

SOCIETY OF ARTISTS' SOIREE.

Although now announcing the final week of their exhibition the Society of Artists, as if determined to "die hard," gave the most brilliant entertainment of the season at the Pitt-street galleries last night. The spacious rooms were decorated with conspicuous taste and looked particularly handsome beneath the brilliant lights which fell upon the crowded assemblage. The chief work of organisation fell upon Mr. J. M. Conroy, with Miss Theo. Cowan as his right-hand "man," and these two guiding spirits were assisted by Miss Ethel Stephens and others determined to make the whole affair a success. Visitors were received by the committee, consisting last night of Mr. Julian R. Ashton (president), Miss Theo. Cowan, Miss Ethel Stephens, Messrs. Sid. Long, B. H. Souter, D. G. Reid, S. W. Pring (hon. secretary), and J. M. Conroy (hon. treasurer). Tinkler's band played selections during the evening, and there were refreshments suitable to the occasion, which was one of pleasant chance meetings and lively conversation. Amongst those present were—Mr. W. J. Lyne, M.L.A., and Mrs. Lyne, Mr and Mrs. Caleb Fortier, Dr. C. W. Maccarthy, Mr. and Mrs. H. Curran, and the Misses Garran, the Hon. J. B. Carruthers (Minister for Lands), Miss Burnett, Miss A. Burnett, Major Savage, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Black, Mr. Tighe Ryan, Miss Mosten, Mr. Jas. White, Mrs. Usher and Miss Douglass, Mr. and Mrs. Lambert, Miss Florence Schmidt and Miss Williams, Mr. Neville Cayley, Mr. F. Sargent, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Layton, Mr. James Gormly, the Hon. E. Vickery, M.L.C., and Mrs. Vickery, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Blackwell, Mrs. Foreman, Mrs. Hassfeld and the Misses Cowan, Mrs. Bryan and Miss Eva Bryan, Mr. Hall Thorpe, Mr. and Miss Sumerhoff, Mrs. H. E. Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. Smeath, Right Rev. Monsignor O'Brien and the Misses O'Brien, Mr. J. A. Hogue, Miss Walsh, Dr. and Mrs. Todd, Mr. and Mrs. Hobeo, Mr. A. H. Conroy and Miss Conroy, Miss Mc. Gibbon, Mr. Longstaff, Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Jones, Mr. and Mrs. John Osborne, Mrs. and Miss Lomer, Colonel and Mrs. Paull, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Robertson, Mrs. Fleming, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. De Lissa, Mr. and Mrs. Scantlebury, Mr. P. S. Watkins, Signor Nigra, Miss Allpen, and others. Miss Winifred Stratton has organised a concert for to-day, as noted in another column.

THE FEDERATION ENABLING ACT AMENDMENT BILL.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—The Rev. Dr. Bevan cannot be complimented upon either the charity, good taste, or accuracy of his vehement denunciation of the great majority of the Legislative Assembly who supported this measure. If he spoke as a minister of the Gospel, he altogether forgot St. Paul's, not to mention Christ's, words on the duties and graces of Christian charity. If he spoke as a visitor from a neighbouring colony, his remarks were singularly ungraceful, while as a general calling in either of these capacities his knowledge or appreciation of facts. By what right does the reverend gentleman assume that the great majority of our Parliament are the unworthy, ignorant, narrow-minded, and generally contemptible set of persons he is pleased to call them? Dr. Bevan will say they owe a duty not to those who elected them, but to the whole people of Australia. He is utterly and absurdly wrong in such contention; but even were he right, it would be to "the people of Australia" that the Assembly owes fealty, and not to the geographical areas of the so-called States. The storm in a water-bottle contract No. 175, S. Bennett, C. J. Foord lowest, 3·75 per cent., above schedule prices; erection of additions to the Railway Institute, Redfern railway station, Sydney, 6 tenders, Adamson and Dow lowest, £2718; supply of ironbark piles for the Berrigan to Finley railway, advertised for by subscription (not by redgum), 4 tenders (to be reported upon); supply of ironbark and hardwood timber for the Berrigan to Finley railway (alternative prices submitted for redgum), tenders (to be reported upon); construction and erection of Condobolin and Wyalong railway stations, 6 tenders (to be reported upon); supply, 3 tenders, Patent Asphaltum Company of New South Wales, lowest £432; supply of wrought iron work or bridges on Berrigan to Finley railway, 7 tenders, W. E. Chapman lowest, £1 per cent.; construction of the outlet and of White's Creek stormwater channel, contract No. 141, 5 tenders, Carter, Gummow, and Co. lowest, 3½ per cent. below schedule prices; taking up and relaying flooring of epileptic ward, male division, Hospital for the Insane, Rydalmere, 4 tenders, Larking Brothers lowest, £46 15s.; erection of additions, post and telegraph office, Boggabri, 3 tenders, M. Audet lowest, formal offer, £356 15s.; supply of cast iron pipes, &c., for waterworks generally, extending over a period of five years, 4 tenders (to be reported upon).

ST. JOHN AMBULANCE ASSOCIATION.

A meeting for the purpose of forming a "First Aid to the Injured" Class, under the auspices of the St. John Ambulance Association, was held at the Australian Gaslight Company's office on the 29th ultimo. Mr. R. J. Lukey occupied the chair. A large amount of interest in the movement was encouraged by demonstrations of ambulance work kindly given by members of the Colonial Sugar Company's corps and Mort's Dock corps. Short addresses were also given by several members of the company, with the result that a large class of the employees was formed. Mr. A. E. Lee and Mr. Ulrick Vandy were unanimously elected hon. secretary and treasurer respectively. Dr. H. E. Hoth was nominated instructor. The meeting closed with votes of thanks to visitors and chairman.

LATE MINING.

HOBART, Monday.

To-day's Exchange sales and quotations were:—Clifton, buyer 4s 9d, seller 5s 0d; Clifton Extended, buyer 8d, seller 1s; Colebrook, buyer 36s, seller 40s; Barlen Hercules, buyer 1s 6d, seller 1s 9d; East Hercules, seller 9d; South Hercules, buyer 2s, Hercules, buyer 28s 6d, seller 31s 6d; Mount Black, seller 4s 9d; ditto, paid, seller, 6s; Tasman Lyell, buyer 25s; Mount Lyell, buyer £15 10s, seller £15 15s; Central Lyell, buyer 2s 1d, seller 2s 6d; Mount Read, buyer 13s, seller 14s; Oonah, seller 5s 6d; ditto, paid, buyer 5s 3d, seller 6s

COOLGARDIE, Monday.

The Londonderry mine continues to open up well. A crushing of 205 tons has been cleaned up for 361½oz. gold. The Bendigo, Coolgardie, crushed 35 tons for 94½oz.: Blackett's, 165 tons for 177oz.; Burbank's for 93½oz.; Brown Jack, 32 tons, 81oz.; Mount Grandi Junction West, 32 tons, 81oz.; Mount Margaret, 105 tons, 89oz.; Hands Across the Sea, 12 tons, 19oz.; Cosgroves, 22 tons, 181oz.; City of London, 66 tons, 88oz.; Westralia and Eastern Extension, 1222 tons, 1317oz.; Enterprise, 182 tons, 106oz.; Sugarloaf, 92 tons, 449½oz.; Tindals Central, 210 tons, 114oz.; United Gold Reefs, 4 tons, 7½oz.; Benduch East, 45 tons, 29oz.; New Victoria South, 172 tons, 110 oz.; W. A. Proprietary Cement, 66 tons, 47½oz.; Herbert North, 9 tons, 18oz.; Morning Star, 85 tons, 104oz.; New Australasia, 292 tons, 966oz.

The total returns from the goldfields to date are as follow:—Coolgardie, 6245 tons stone for 7247oz. gold; East Coolgardie, 12,573 tons, 31,866oz.; North-east Coolgardie, 2848 tons, 2913oz.; Broad Arrow, 3227 tons, 1246oz.; North Coolgardie, 3615 tons, 4974oz.; Mount Margaret, 1175 tons, 2132oz.; Yilgarn, 3196 tons, 1137oz.; Dundas, 1733 tons, 2533oz.; Yalgoo, 230 tons, 226oz.; Murchison, 7674 tons, 6931oz.; East Murchison, 8 tons, 34oz. Peak Hill, 110 tons, 605oz. Pilbarra, 215 tons, 216oz. West Pilbarra, 67 tons, 69oz. Total, 44,033 tons, 62,151oz. Alluvial gold is not included.

The crushing from M'Pherson's Reward was 54 tons, for 62½oz. Black Flag Proprietary. 312oz. from 1500 tons. Lindsay's Cranois, 174oz. from 293 tons.

PRESBYTERIAN SABBATH SCHOOLS.

PROPOSED SCHOOL UNION.

Yesterday evening a conference of superintendents and secretaries of Presbyterian Sunday schools in the Sydney Presbytery was held in St. Stephen's lecture hall, Phillip-street, for the purpose of discussing the question of forming a Sunday school union. Mr. S. Livingston presided, and in his address he said the more intelligent of their Sabbath school teachers had felt that they were working in too isolated a manner, each one hardly knowing anything about his fellow-workers. They had had a union again and again, he believed, and he considered that really good work was done, but, like many other good things, it had fizzled out. All organisations were weak at the commencement, but if it was worth while to give lectures to a few teachers the time would come when the number would be greatly increased. Besides lectures there were other things which would be mutually helpful. Mr. P. B. M'Cormick alluded to a constitution adopted long ago in relation to a Presbyterian Sabbath school union, and this was very considerably criticised, especially clause 2, which reads thus:—"The Presbyterian Sabbath School Union is composed of all the Church's ministers, elders, superintendents of Sabbath schools, Sabbath school secretaries, librarians, and teachers associated with the congregation and submitting to the government of the Church, and of individual members recommended by a member of the union and approved by the directors." Mr. M'Cormick submitted that if a union were formed on the lines in accordance with the constitution passed by the General Assembly, be formed within the bounds of the Presbytery of Sydney." Mr. Cole seconded the resolution. He thought that a union which did not embrace the children to some extent would not be a success. The Rev. J. Macauley moved and Mr. R. H. Chandler seconded the following amendment,—"That there be formed a Sabbath-school teachers' union or association, to consist only of superintendents and teachers." Mr. M'Lennan supported the amendment, and very severely condemned the action of the assembly. It was, he said, a shame that not only had that body never thought it worth while to have a meeting for the discussion of Sabbath-school work, but a report relating to the subject had been shelved. A long debate took place, in which Messrs. Webster, Caldwell, A. Donald, S. Reid, F. Symes, and R. Morris, in addition to others previously mentioned, took part. Eventually Mr. M'Cormick withdrew his motion, and the following, proposed by the Rev. J. Macauley and seconded by Mr. Reid, was carried unanimously:—"In the opinion of this meeting it is desirable to organise a Presbyterian Sabbath school teachers' union within the bounds of the Presbytery of Sydney." It was also resolved, at the instance of the same gentleman, "That the resolution be sent down to teachers to be considered and reported on at a meeting to be held in St. Stephen's Church on Monday, November 29, at 8 p.m." The Rev. J. Macaulay and Messrs. Livingstone, Mackenzie, M'Cormack, and Reid were appointed a committee to prepare a draft constitution and submit it for consideration.

TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS.

Tenders have been accepted for the following public works:—

Roads.—Main Western, Parramatta district, J. Hunns (Prospect), £209 8s 9d.

Bridges.—Over Cox's River on Main Western-road at junction (Bowenfels to Rydal), T. J. Barnaby (Helensburgh), £2,134 14s; over Warragamba, at Mogil Mogil, road Mogil Mogil to Mungundi, C. O. Bagge (Dubbo), £335 2s.

Sewerage Construction.—Bitumen, &c., for mastic joints of main carrier, contract No. 112a, Western suburb's sewerage, Mason Brothers, Limited (Sydney), £10 9s per ton; Balmain North western slopes branch sewer, Northern main sewerage, contract No. 136, Western suburbs sewerage, Carter, Gummow, and Co. (Sydney), 3½ per cent. above printed schedule rates.

Railway Construction.—Permanent way and erection of poles, contract No. 5, George-street and Harris-street Electric Tramway, J. M'Sweeney (Sydney), schedule rates.

Miscellaneous Contract.—Attending to gas ventilation, &c., at Parliamentary buildings, Sydney, J. Oastler (Sydney), £80.

Miscellaneous.—Wharf at side of training wall, Manning River Heads, R. H. Worthing (Wingham), £266 8s; repairs, &c., superintendent's quarters, Belmore Barracks, Sydney, G. Donaldson (Surry Hills), £1 10s; hot water service, new hospital buildings, Benevolent Asylum, Newington, T. H. Harvey (Parramatta), £167 13s 9d; boundary wall between gate lodge and carter's cottage, Callan Park Hospital for Insane, J. W. Park (Hindmarsh), £74; fencing pathway and gutter at the Rookwood Benevolent Asylum, J. J. Young (Auburn), £52 10s; steam hammers for dredges Samson, Hunter, and Newcastle, R. G. Ross and Son (Sydney), £224; removal of washhouse, &c., at Edgecliff-road post-office, Loking Brothers (Sydney), £18 10s; painting and putting in repair police-sergeant's quarters, Penrith, E. Cross (Penrith), £8; bridge approach to granary, Experimental Farm, Wagga Wagga, Charles Hardy and Co. (Wagga Wagga), £178 18s 9d; steam launch for dredge &c., harbour works, Balmain, G. Skinner (Tweed River), £20 per month.

The following tenders were opened by the Tender Board, Public Works Department, yesterday:—Additions and alterations, courthouse, Armidale, 5 tenders, D. M'Donald lowest, £2289; construction of the upper portion of the Carcoinyah Creek waterway, contract No. 175, S. Bennett, C. J. Foord lowest, 3·75 per cent. above schedule prices; erection of additions to the Railway Institute, Redfern railway station, Sydney, 6 tenders, Adamson and Dow lowest, £2718; supply of ironbark piles for the Berrigan to Finley railway, advertised for by subscription (not by redgum), 4 tenders (to be reported upon); supply of ironbark and hardwood timber for the Berrigan to Finley railway (alternative prices submitted for redgum), tenders (to be reported upon); construction and erection of Condobolin and Wyalong railway stations, 6 tenders (to be reported upon); supply, 3 tenders, Patent Asphaltum Company of New South Wales, lowest £432; supply of wrought iron work or bridges on Berrigan to Finley railway, 7 tenders, W. E. Chapman lowest, £1 per cent.; construction of the outlet and of White's Creek stormwater channel, contract No. 141, 5 tenders, Carter, Gummow, and Co. lowest, 3½ per cent. below schedule prices; taking up and relaying flooring of epileptic ward, male division, Hospital for the Insane, Rydalmere, 4 tenders, Larking Brothers lowest, £46 15s; erection of additions, post and telegraph office, Boggabri, 3 tenders, M. Audet lowest, formal offer, £356 15s; supply of cast iron pipes, &c., for waterworks generally, extending over a period of five years, 4 tenders (to be reported upon).

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

THE TURF.

The Newcastle Tattersall's Club will hold its annual race meeting on December 11, when a programme of five events will be run through. The principal race will be Tattersall's Cup of 100 sovs., 1½ mile. Full particulars will be found in our advertising columns. Entries close with the secretary, Mr. L. Solomon, Newcastle, or the secretary of the A.J.C., Mr. T. S. Clibborn, Sydney, on Monday, 22nd instant, for Tattersall's Cup, and for the other events on Monday, 29th instant.

Messrs. H. Chisholm and Co. will hold a sale of thoroughbred stock at Sydney on Tuesday, January 4, 1898, the day after the running of Tattersall's Cup. Applications for horses to be included in the catalogue are now being received, and intending sellers are requested to forward at an early date full particulars of the animals to be submitted.

The weights for the first day of the Rosehill Birthday meeting were issued yesterday forenoon. In the Maiden Handicap Hamilton and Flodden appear to have been left with a chance. Crysaline, though on improving lines, will probably find 11st 12lb more weight than he can conveniently manage, but to the ex Marie May, with 11st 2lb, has not been overburdened; and Pomeroy, with 10st 5lb, and Laddie, with 9st 4lb, have nothing to complain of in the score of weight, and should each run forward in the race. For the Royal Handicap Oddfellow II., Town Clock, Princess Arena, and Countess Aberdeen read best. The nine entrants for the Prince of Wales Handicap—the principal event—have been well handicapped—but Pasquin, who seems to be now turning to form, should about manage to secure the judge's verdict, though Barton, nicely placed with 6st 2lb, and The Captain should give him a lot of trouble. Annadour, Lilydale and Fassifern should make a bold bid in the High-weight Mile.

The following race meetings were yesterday granted registration by the A.J.C.:—Cugong, Redlands, and Tweed River.

Long Bay Jubilee races will be run at Kensington on Thursday, 11th instant, and entries for the different events close with the secretary (Mr. P. O'Mara), at 5 p.m. on Friday next. Particulars will be found in the business columns of the paper.

Entries for the sprint and galloway races to be run at Moorefield on Wednesday, the 10th instant, close with the secretary (Mr. John Jolly) at 5 p.m. on Friday next. The programme will be found in our advertising columns.

VICTORIA RACING CLUB SPRING MEETING.

SECOND (MELBOURNE CUP) DAY.

(BY OUR SPECIAL REPORTER.)

MELBOURNE, Monday.

The weather prospects for Cup Day are not very encouraging to-day. Sunshine alternated with light showers, and a strong south-westerly breeze has prevailed, with every indication of continuing. The light rainfall should, however, prove beneficial to the tracks at Flemington, and help to lay the dust, which was unpleasantly in evidence on Derby Day. The city is thronged with visitors, and under favourable climatic conditions it is safe to predict an immense gathering at Flemington. The sport opens with the Hurdle Race, in which such good performers as Murdoch, Response, Sammy Brass, Douro, Saddlump, Lyric, and Carbonate are engaged, and an interesting contest may result in Murdoch, Response, and Sammy Brass getting home in the order named. Most leniently treated in the Railway Stakes appear to be Fitzroy, Loch Marie, Murella, Cronstadt, Zatella, Fortune, and Interlude, and places may go to Interlude, Fortune, Fitzroy, and Murella. Fortune may be the best of the others. Standish, Cordite and Hamault may divide honours in the Nursery Handicap. An interesting contest may on anticipated for the Melbourne Cup, and the form shown by Bathlone in the Queen's Plate, and Battles in the big Queenslander in respect, and he may have to be reckoned with at the end of the journey. Coil may be trusted to run a great horse; but the recent performances of Delaware and True Blue are not calculated to inspire confidence; and The Chevalier is not altogether free from injury like Amberite and the Derby and his decisive defeat by Amberite heavily discounts his chances for the big handicap and good horse though Ayrshire be, the length of the trip may trouble him. The Merry Boy was well supported in the market to-day, and he should have no trouble in securing a good enough position to win the Cup. Amberite, with 2lb less, must have a great say in the settlement of affairs. Mora will be no better than her track work to have any chance; but Toreador, though lacking brilliancy, can stay to the end of the race in any journey. Bellarat will be ably represented by Wait-a-Bit, who is in great fettle, and should be one of the hardest to beat. The length of the trip should suit Fuella, who, with his handy impost, will have to be reckoned with at the end of a true run race. There is no question that Stockwell should be alive to the end of two miles, but he has yet to show his ability to do so. Trent should be nicely suited with his weight, and should be about when the whips are cracking. Gaulus and The Grafter have fair prospects, and if Positano takes to his head to race the weight should not stop him. The best of the others is Clarion. The most likely to furnish the winner appear to be Coli, Wait-a-Bit, Amberite, Fuella, Trent, Gaulus, Battalion, and The Merry Boy, and of those I expect Coli, Wait-a-Bit, and Trent to fill the places. Ditto, Walter, and Whetside may divide honours in the Steeplechase, and places in the Yan Yean Stakes may be occupied by Catspaw, Eviscero, and Surge. Appended is the programme:—

HURDLE RACE—3 miles (1 p.m.).

	st lb		st lb		st lb
Murdoch	12	3 Batavrus	10	8 Gold	9 10
Insurance	12	3 Carbonate	10	7 Red Queen	9 7
Response	11	7 Oxyen	9	1 Glamour	9 5
Douro	11	7 Reindeer	9	1 Bendigo	9 5
Saddlump	10	7 Reindeer	9	1 Bendigo	9 5

RAILWAY HANDICAP—6 furlongs. (1.40 p.m.)

Aurara	9	13	Early Morn	8	2 Miss Craig 7 7
The Grafter	9	12	Water Color	8	1 Norway 7 7
Staffa	9	12	Cronstadt	8	6 Bunnacht 7 6
Ida	9	11	Hamilton	8	6 Laddie 6 13
Beverley ...	9	9	Majestic	7	13 Iramoo 6 13
Rosebud ...	9	9	Wanaka	7	13 Rainbow 6 10
Medford	9	9	Velore	7	11 Valorous 6 7
Rebound-So	9	8	Zeno	7	11 Contrast 6 7
Fitzroy	8	7	Zitella	7	10 Contrast 6 7
Keera	8	6	Fortune	7	10 Pentima 6 7
Loch Marie	8	6	Interlude	7	9 Lucille 6 7
Murella	8	3	Hera	7	7 Freethought 6 7

NURSERY HANDICAP—5 furlongs. (2.45 p.m.).

Lady Mostyn	9	5	Roscommon	7	13 Little Widow 7 5
Keera	9	2	Bantarly	7	12 The Saucy 7 2
Hera	9	1	Sarah	7	12 Girl 7 2
Standish	9	0	Great Heart	7	12 Girl 7 2
Gemma	8	9	Alix	7	12 Moonabee 6 13
Hainwell	8	9	Auriferous	7	11 Nonsuch 6 13
Canada	8	8	Cordite	7	8 Sweet Alice 6 12
Sparta	8	8	Stone	7	8 Moonabee 6 11
Bride	8	8	Welcome Rose	7	7 Lady Portsea 6 7
Cigar	8	8	Majesty	7	7 Lady Portsea 6 7
Westward Ho	8	8	The Unlime	7	7 Egypt 6 7
Dandifer	8	8	The Pirate	7	Diffidence 6 7
Florence	8	8	Rising	7	7

MELBOURNE CUP—2 miles (3.45 p.m.).

	st lb		st lb
Battalion, by	9	Forrador	8 6 Amberite 7 7
Battalion,	9	4 Wait-a-bit	8 6 Positano 7 7
Coil	9	3 Devon	7 13 The Hypnot-
Delaware	9	3 Mischief	7 13 ist 7 5
The Chevalier	8	6 Parthenope's	7 12 Manfred 7 0
Aurum	8	6 Fitt Admiral	7 10 the Grafter 7 0
Ayrshire	8	6 Trent	7 10 Fuella 6 12
The Merry-			Dreamland 7 8 Bundook 6 11
boy	8	4 Gaulus	7 8 Clarion 6 8
Mora	8	3 Sortie	7 8 Blanzie 6 7

STEEPLECHASE—about 2 miles (4.30 p.m.).

Floater	12	12	Peveril	10	12 Whetside 10 3
Donall	11	10	Montrose	10	12 Songster 9 12
Vigil	11	9	Batanton	10	10 Victor 9 0
Walden	11	9	Albanio	10	5 Votary 9 0
Esmeralla	11	7	Zamonia	10	3 Starlight 9 0
Ditto	11	0			

YAN YEAN STAKES—1 mile (5.15 p.m.).

Parthenopeus	9	5	Fitzroy	7	12 Zitella 7 1
Hail Fly	9	2	Loch Marie	7	8 Hornblock 6 12
Staffa	9	2	Joan Brummel	7	8 Hunter 6 12
Lacquer	8	12	Early Morn	7	8 Alabacilla 6 11
Ida	8	12	Hera	7	8 Norway 6 7
Gaulus	8	10	Virtue	7	8 Scribener 6 10
Moonbeam	8	5	Nudity	7	6 Norway 6 7
Resolute	8	4	Miss Old'stone	7	6 Norway 6 7
Kaiser	8	3	Majestic	7	4 Cinfix 6 7
Elusive	8	3	Zeno	7	4 Wahanda 6 7
Aston	7	13	Upshot	7	0 Frentalia 6 7
Dundook	7	12			

THE BETTING MARKET.

There was a good attendance at City Tattersall's Club last night, when the card of the Melbourne Cup was read by J. Clark. There was a fair amount of speculation. Against Battalion 100 to 4 was laid, but more money was on offer at the same price. There was a disposition to do business about Coil at 9st 10lb, but after that amount had been laid once bids were shortened to 100 to 12. True Blue was supported to the extent of £40 to £1 10s; and £100 to £2 was taken about The Chevalier. Toreador could have been well supported at 100 to 4, but the best price on offer was 100 to 5, at which quotation £100 was laid. The Merry Boy was backed for £100 to £4 10s, after which 100 to 4 was the best price. After £100 to £10 had been accepted about Wait-a-Bit, nothing better than 100 to 12 could be obtained. A wager of £100 to £1 10s was booked against Devon; and Parthenopeus found friends to the extent of £200 to £10, and more could was available against him at the same price. There was a strong indication to back Trent at 100 to 6, but after £250 to £15 had been written against his name, 100 to 7 was the best offer. Gaulus found friends to the extent of £100 to £5 10s. Amberite opened at 100 to 7, but quickly lengthened to nines and then tens, at which price £100 was accepted, and also £45 to £5, at which quotation he remained without further business being done. Positano would have been backed for a fair amount at 100 to 7, but after £150 had been laid to £12, £200 to £10 was accepted, and as no one was prepared to go on at this price 100 to 8 was again quoted against him. The expansive odds of £100 to 10s were recorded against Koha, and further business could have been done at the same price. Hosella came in for a fair amount of support, first £50 to £1 being recorded against her, then £200 to £5, and after that £100 to £5, at which price more money was available. The following are the prices on offer at the close of operations:—100 to 12 each v. Coil and Wait-a-Bit, 100 to 11 v. Amberite, 100 to 8 v. Positano, 100 to 7 v. Trent, 100 to 6 each v. Fuella and Clarion, 100 to 5 each v. Parthenopeus, Gaulus, Aurum, and Ayrshire; 100 to 4 each v. Battalion, Manfred, and The Merry Boy; 100 to 3½ v. The Grafter, 100 to 3 each v. True Blue, The Chevalier, Fleet Admiral, and Dreamland, 100 to 2 each v. Delaware, Rosella, Mora, Devon, and Bundook; 100 to 1½ v. Muchief, 100 to 1 each v. Sortie, Amnesty, and The Hypnotist; 100 to 1 v. Koha.

(BY OUR SPECIAL REPORTER.)

MELBOURNE, Monday.

The Victorian Club Rooms were crowded at the midday reading of the card for the Melbourne Cup, and a fair volume of business was transacted. Battalion, despite his Melbourne Stakes victory was friendless at 100 to 4, £10,000 being available at that price. After a wager of £200 to £22 was booked about Coil, a line of £900 to £100 was taken, with more on offer; but backers wanted 100 to 10. At 100 to 1 Delaware had no friends; but, at the same price, a century was taken about True Blue. The Chevalier was befriended to the extent of £400 to £5. Offers of 100 to 5 failed to bring about business in regard to Aurum; but a wager of £1000 to £40 was booked about Ayrshire. Wagers amounting to £2000 were accepted about The Merry Boy at 100 to 3, after which £1000 to £35 was accepted. A line of £500 to £50 was taken about Amberite, and more was on offer, 100 to 9 being wanted. Bets aggregating £600 were written against Mora at 100 to 1, and £400 to £8 was taken about Toreador. At 100 to 10 Wait-a-bit was backed to win £2000, after which £300 to £33 was booked. An amount of £2000 to £20 was accepted about Devon. Mischief was friendless at 100 to 7, and offers of £100 to £4 against Fuella met with no response. Parthenopeus was backed to win £2500 at 100 to 6. There was £2000 to £25 on offer against Fleet Admiral, without leading to business. At 100 to 4 wagers amounting to £1400 were accepted about Trent, after which £4000 to £180 was booked, then £1500 to £75, and £1000 to £45, with 100 to 5 offered. An amount of £200 to £10 was accepted about Gaulus, with more on offer. At 100 to 10 Positano was backed to win £1200, after which he hardened a point. About Manfred £1000 to £50 was booked, and £1000 to £32½ The Grafter. After £500 to £10 was laid against Bundook, £1700 more was taken at 100 to 2½.

Some heavy wagering took place privately, a line of £1500 to £200 being taken about Coil. £1600 to £200 Aurum, £1000 Gaulus, £2000 to £80 The Grafter, £1000 to £50 Fuella, £2000 to £120 Trent, £1600 to £200 Positano, £1000 to £100 Wait-a-bit, and £1500 to £30 Parthenopeus.

The evening reading of the card also attracted a large gathering of sportsmen to the Victorian Club rooms, some spirited wagering took place. A line of £2000 to £50 was booked about Battalion. The best offer against Coil was 8 to 1, while backers were prepared to take a point longer. A wager of £600 to £5 was booked about The Chevalier, £1500 about Aurum at 100 to 4½, £300 to £10½ The Merry Boy, £2500 Amberite at 100 to 8 and 9, £1200 Wait-a-bit at 100 to 9, £16,000 Parthenopeus at 100 to 5, 6 and 7, £10,000 Gaulus at 100 to 6 and 6½, £100 to £9 Positano, £3000 to £15 The Hypnotist, £1000 to £50 Koha, £600 to £30 Manfred, £3000 to £75 The Grafter, £1000 to £40 Amnesty, and £2000 to £50 Rosella. The following prices were on offer:—8 to 1 v. Coil, 100 to 10 v. Wait-a-Bit, 100 to 9 each v. Amberite and Positano, 100 to 8 v. Parthanopeus, 100 to 6½ v. Gaulus, 100 to 5 each v. Fuella, Trent, and Clarion, 100 to 4½ v. Aurum, 100 to 4 each v. Ayrshire and The Merry Boy, 100 to 3 each v. Toreador, Manfred, Bundook, and Rosella, 100 to 2½ each v. Bat alion and The Grafter, 100 to 2 v. True Blue, 100 to 1½ each v. The Chevalier, Fleet Admiral, and Dreamland, 100 to 1 each v. Delaware, Devon, and Muschief.

MELBOURNE TRAINING NOTES.

(BY OUR SPECIAL REPORTER.)

FLEMINGTON,

MELBOURNE, Monday.

Some really good work was put in this morning. It rained pretty heavily about 6 o'clock, but only freshened up the going, and made it good. Wait-a-bit ran *along for a mile well in front of* Bondi and Walter. On pulling up he looked well. True Blue and Sorbe galloped four furlongs in 1 minute 7 seconds. Dunlop accomplished the task by getting over a mile and a half in 2 minutes 45 seconds He jumped off with Clarion (who looked all the better for his win on Saturday last), and, having him beaten all the way, ran home an easy winner by nearly furlong. There is no doubt about this horse being made of cast iron, as on Saturday he galloped six furlongs at his top, and in the afternoon Allsopp gave him a good long swim in the Saltwater River. After his gallop this morning he pulled up splendidly, and finished with great gameness. Surget beat Foote over a mile in 1 minute 49 seconds—a very good performance, as both horses went well. Kallara took 1 minute 51 seconds to do the same distance. *Metford suits his foot in* his race on Saturday, and was only doing walking exercise. The Grafter and Gaulus ran a smartish mile together on the tan. The latter, with 9st 4lb, galloped a mile in 1 minute 49 seconds. The first two made a dead heat of it, and the mare was beaten off, but she will not gallop now in private. Amberite ran splendid mile in 1 minute 47½ seconds, Sheoak went once round the sand, and is going nearly his best form. Auraria, who does not seem a bit off colour, ran a mile with Manfred in 1 minute 48 seconds. Manfred always had the best of it. The Merry Boy and The Hypnotist covered a round of the sand in 2 minutes 34 seconds. Paul Pry beat Arden over five furlongs, run in 1 minute 6 seconds. Ayrshire went a really good mile in 1 minute 48 seconds. Damien ran once round in 2 minutes 32 seconds. Carbonate came down on Saturday and will not be fit to take his gallop for a week.

Positano was sent for a three miles swim in the Saltwater River on Sunday. The imported horse went more kindly on the track this morning than at any time since his arrival from Sydney.

CAULFIELD.

Very little fast work was done this morning, only two gallops of any consequence being accomplished. Just as Trent (T. Pegrum) got on to the sand track to gallop a rain squall came from the north. He was stopped off from the mile post, and was picked up at the top of the hill by Maunsiur, who brought him home in 1 minute 49 1-5th seconds. It was a real good gallop, as he had a driving rain and wind in his face over the last three furlongs. The other gallop was that between Fleet Admiral (R. Lewis) and Mora (J. Cunningham), with Miraculum (Brown) as pacemaker over the last five furlongs of a mile, which took Fleet Admiral 1 minute 48½ seconds, Mora being beaten by about three lengths. The colt appears a little too much for the finish, as he was closing on him. There was a head wind blowing, but not so strong as when Trent galloped. Fleet Admiral pulled up fresh, and not in the least distressed. The same remark applied to Mora, who went much better than usual. Battalion did a couple of miles strong run on the tan, and looked all the better for the race last Saturday

VICTORIAN SPORTING NEWS.

(BY OUR SPECIAL REPORTER.)

MELBOURNE, Monday.

The following V.R.C. scratchings were recorded to-day:—

Steeplechase:—Wilpena and Canary.

Railway Handicap:—Erl Queen, Prudence, Veloce, and Ailsa Craig.

Yan Yean Stakes:—Bacchus.

Nursery Handicap:—Heppestus, Drama, and Vigorous.

Hurdle Race:—Gay Lad.

All engagements:—Pluvius II.

Spring Stakes:—Chokebore, Camerose, Alva, Norway, Pintore, Carlyle, Foret, Strathjoy, and the Algerine colt.

There are only three acceptances for the Oaks Stakes—viz., Zitella, Mirella, and Elusive.

Metford spoilt his hoof whilst running in the Hotham Handicap on Saturday. The injury is not serious, and he may possibly be well enough to run again during the meeting

At the Ascot pony races this afternoon 21 started for the Ascot Gold Cup, and after a fine finish Bend'Or Won Cup by a head from Bailey, with Esme a head off third.

BRIGHTON PONY, GALLOWAY, AND TROTTING RACES.

There was a good attendance at Brighton yesterday, when a programme of pony, galloway, and trotting races was run through. The following are the results:—

Trotting-two Handicap of 12 sovs., 4 furlongs 70 yards.—J. Rodgerson's Father, set 2lb, M'Leash, 1; Clarence, set 4lb, 2; Linnett, 7

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

Monday Evening.

Business in the Stock and Share market to-day was devoid of any very noteworthy feature. All Government securities were quoted the same as last week. Bank shares remain steady, the only business done being in Bank of New South Wales, Australian Joint Stock Bank deposits advanced 1½d. North Shore Ferry were sold at a reduction of 6d, and Port Jackson at the previous price. Insurance and gaslight remain steady, breweries also continuing about the same as on Saturday. Quotations for miscellaneous shares were much about the same as previously. Metropolitan Building and Investment deposits had a buyer at 1½.

On the Sydney Stock Exchange the following sales were reported :—At 1 o'clock : Bank of New South Wales, 35½ ; A.J.S. Bank A deposits, 1½ 1½d ; North Shore Ferry, 46s ; Port Jackson Steam, 20s. At 4 o'clock : Silverton Tramway, 101s. Later : Tooth's Brewery, 23s 9d ; A.J.S. Bank B deposits, 10s 6d. The closing quotations were :—

Company.	Capital paid up.	Amount of each Shares paid up.	Last Div. per annum.	Prices. Last Sale.	Buyers.	Sellers.
	£	£	£ s. d.			
A.S.W. Funded Stock Act, 1892	2,508,010	...	4	109	109	...
Bnk. Act, 1873	570,180	...	4	128½	...	130
Ditto, Dec. 1894	...	...	3	...	...	...
Ditto, Jan. 1895	...	...	3	105	99½	...
Ditto Deb., 1906	340,000	...	5	110	108	112
Ditto Deb., 1901	...	...	...	107½	...	...
Ditto Deb., 1903	...	...	...	108½	...	...
Ditto Deb., 1904	...	...	...	108½	...	...
N.Z. Deb., 1913	900,000	...	4	106	105	...
Q'land Debens.	...	...	4	106½	105	...
Colonial Sugar Co.	...	...	...	...	...	...
Deb., 1914	...	...	5	112	110	...
Ditto, Deb., 1901	...	...	5½	...	...	...
Ditto, subscr.	...	...	...	...	...	...
Deb., 1902	...	...	...	...	...	...
Banks.						
Australian J. S.	1,166,578	10	7½	...	8·0	...
City	240,000	10	8	8	7½	7½
New Zealand	167,000	10	8	8	7½	8
Bank of Aus. pref.	2,117,970	10	10	2	7s.	...
Com. of Syd.	1,000,000	25	12½	3	2½	2½
N.S.W. Comm.	1,000,000	20	20	5	3½	3½
Q'land National	900,000	8	6	65	...	...
N. Bank of Queensland	412,500	8	8	2½	...	6½
Union	1,500,000	75	20	5	27½	...	27½
Breweries.						
A.J.S. Bank Class A	...	...	...	14 10	14 5	...
Class B	...	...	...	10 6	10 5	10 6
Ditto, Inscribed	391,141	...	...	12 3	10 6	11 6
Com. of Aus. A series, 1893	5,538,963	...	...	17 6	17	...
Ditto series	...	...	...	15 6	15 6	...
B. S. & A. series	...	...	...	18 6	18 6	...
Ditto, Terms	517,000	...	...	17 5	17 1	17 6
Ditto, Debenture	1,077,748	...	...	12 3	12 1	...
Inscr., pref.	1,000,000	...	...	...	...	...
Ditto, def.	1,000,000	...	...	...	...	12 3
Tal. of Aust.	...	...	...	...	19½	...
Q'land National	6,013,000	...	...	...	...	...
Steam.						
Illawarra	80,000	5	8½	8½	8	8½
K. and H. R.	100,000	1	1	17 6	17 6	18
North Coast	121,743	1	17 6	6	16 6	16 3
P. S. Ferry	40,000	1	1	10	46	45	47
Port Jackson	55,800	5	66	...	20	19 6	22
Ditto Own. Pfd.	...	...	...	...	...	...	19
Ditto, Shares	...	...	...	...	...	...	14
Insurances.							
A. M. Fire	25,000	1	5	22½	20·0	20	21
City M. Fire	15,000	1	2	10	3	...	2 11
Ins. Mut.	20,250	1	3 6	15½	9 2	9	10
New Zealand	30,000	2	12	30	...	...	...
United	62,500	10	2½	17	80	85	90
Ditto, New	61,720	5	10	12½	12 6	12½	21
Gas.							
Albury	7,500	...	10	14 3	14	...	17
Australian	681,726	6	6	9	10	10	10½
City Goulburn	240,000	1	15	1	1	1	45
Goulburn	9,000	1	1	8	24 9	24	...
Newby	15,000	1	1	7	24	22	...
Ditto, New	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maitland	8,000	1	1	6	18 6	18	19
Newcastle	25,127	2	2	12½	27 6	5	...
North Shore	80,000	1	1	6	35 6	35 6	36 6
Ditto, New	15,000	1	1	10	6	13 3	14 3
Breweries.							
Australian Caledonian and Wool Brew.	250,000	...	1	4	17	16 11	17
Kendall's	35,250	10	5	6	3 7	3 6	3 8
Tooheys	50,000	5	15	1	...	...	...
Tooth's	900,000	1	1	7	23 9	23 6	24
Albury	4,000	1	1	5	...	...	...
Ditto, New	21,000	1	10	5	...	...	...
Miscellaneous.							
Australian Mutual Prov. Soc.	17,500	15	10	5	5	...	...
Australian Newspaper	...	...	...	...	74 3	22	25
A.W.W. Supply	186,500	1	1	10	17	17 6	...
Bent's, Philip	250,000	1	1	8	...	...	...
Ditto	17,500	1	1	8	...	...	...
Cal. Sugar	1,797,780	20	20	10	21	20½	22
Talmer Co.	1,000,000	5	5	8	5·6	...	...
Cable Tobacco	71,500	25	0·6	...	...	1 11	...
Ross Gravel	30,000	1	1	2	...	...	...
Tooth Pub. Co.	198,000	1	1s	9	18 6	...	5·6
Harrison, Jones and Dwyer	5,000	1	1	8	...	...	...
Ditto	5,000	1	1	8	10 0	...	...
Melbourne Tram	48,000	1	10	5	12 6	...	...
New Dr. Pat.	75,000	1	1	1½	34	31	...
Pyr. Typhon	250,000	1	1	5	2½	1 11	...
Tram. Trustee	25,000	10	5	6	8	...	8·3
Watt's Book Binders and Printers	100,000	1	1	...	...	...	...
Sale and Ob.	75,000	1	15	...	8·0	...	7
Mr. Tram	192,500	1	1	10	10	9·0	10
Ditto, New	40,000	10	10	7	14	14	14½
Syd. Hydr.	75,000	10	10	5	21 6	21 6	...
Vs. Land Orders	...	...	...	...	125	...	...
Loan & Mercantile	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Barnard's Dep.	...	...	13	...	...	...	12
Intercolonial Prov. Dep.	100,000	...	...	6	...	...	...
Investment Dep.	32,904	25	...	10	12 6	12	...
Investment Dep.	...	...	...	7	7	...	...
Perpetual B. Dep.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sel. & Sub. Dep.	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 6

The quotation of £103 10s for Victorian 3 per cents in the Melbourne Stock Exchange, while about par is the price in Sydney for New South Wales 3 per cents, seems to indicate that there is still less use for money in Victoria than in this colony. And it may be that the £120,000 balance of the loan to be offered there this month will be subscribed more freely than the stock now available in Sydney. It will be interesting to observe to what amount money will be subscribed for the new issues in either colony, and how much more will be offered at what in Australia up to the last year or two has been regarded as a low figure. A few years back it would have been deemed incredible that the Australian Governments could obtain monetary accommodation at 3 per cent. But, of course, the unprecedented fall in values and the increase in the productiveness of the world's gold mines, with the general disturbance of trade in important centres of the world, has upset all ordinary calculations, and we can only await developments.

The Customs revenue for the month of October amounted to £93,311, being a decrease of £7736, of which £3458 is represented under the head sugar, the duty having been reduced £1 per ton. Excise amounting to £24,036 showed an increase of £607. Revenue under these heads may be said to be about the same as last year. Both sources of income have no doubt been affected by the reduced income which necessarily must be received by the graziers from their flocks and herds, particularly from the former. Still, for such of their stock as they sell at Homebush they are getting higher prices, and their fleece is yielding them a better average return per lb. Nevertheless, they will probably not come out so well as last year. The farmers and dairymen, however, promise to have better results, which later on will give the country some compensation, and tend to the replenishment of deficient public revenue balances. Still, the shortage of revenue from the railway, owing to the deficient wool clip, will have to be kept in view in order to bring out satisfactory financial results for the year.

At to-day's wool sales 5917 bales were catalogued, public and private business comprising 600 bales. Parcly sorts were more largely represented, although there was a fair assortment of useful wools forward. The downward tendency recently noted became more pronounced, and nearly all qualities of merino were distinctly lower. The highest price of the season was obtained to-day for a choice parcel of A hoggets at W.W.W. over Bellbrose, from Scone, which realised 11d.

A meeting of debenture-holders in the Port Jackson Co-operative Steamship Company, Limited, was held at the Aquarium Hall, Manly, this evening, for the purpose of confirming an agreement made in contemplation of the reduction of the capital of the company from £100,000 to £50,000. The Mayor (Alderman F. C. Passau) was in the chair. Mr. E. S. Chapman moved,— That the deed of agreement now presented to the meeting be taken as read," and, Mr. A. R. Ogden having seconded, the motion was carried. Mr. A. R. Ogden moved, Mr. E. S. Chapman seconded, and it was carried, —" That this meeting sanctions and confirms as binding on the holders of debentures issued in pursuance of the agreement dated October 6 instant." A vote of thanks to the chair terminated the proceedings.

The representative salesmen of Australasian and in the United Kingdom are to be commended for endeavouring to regulate the supply to the advantage of our producers. The sellers suffer too frequently from gluts when they are unable to obtain a reasonable price for their produce. From Australian pastures beef can be produced much more cheaply than from those of Great Britain, but between 2d. to 2½d per lb., the price of the former, and 5½d to 6½d, that of the latter, there is a difference which is to be accounted for more by the scarcity of the one and the superabundance of the other rather than by any real difference in quality, even allowing that the British is fresh and the Australian is only fresh frozen. Of course, the best as well as the worst beef would suffer by a glut, but British graziers being on the spot can regulate the supply comparatively easier than those of Australia, unless their agents combine as now proposed and feed the market according to requirements. That was no doubt a part of the scheme which Mr. Hooley's combination would have carried into effect, but there is no reason why it should not be adopted by the influential salesmen who have the business in hand. And if they can extend the range of their union with American producers probably the results will be still more satisfactory to our cattlemen. Excessive competition is at present seriously prejudicing our grazing interest.

The following table shows the Bank of England figures, quotations for Consols and New South Wales 3½ per cents, and money market rates and prices of the principal Australian commodities, in comparison with the figures for the years 1895 and 1896 :—

	Oct. 31, 1895.	Oct. 29, 1896.	Oct. 28, 1897.
	£	£	£
Coin and bullion	41,734,000	36,182,000	31,928,000
Circulation	25,188,000	26,268,000	27,270,000
Public deposits	4,627,000	8,748,000	6,619,000
Other deposits	30,539,000	43,648,000	38,384,000
Government securities	15,930,000	14,048,000	12,784,000
Other securities	25,402,000	36,992,000	28,855,000
Reserve of notes and coin	22,316,000	20,274,000	21,458,000
Percentage of reserve to liabilities	58·34	35·08	47·63
Bank rate on discount, p.c	2	4	3
Market rate, p.c.	1½	3½	2 15-16
Goschen's Consols	106	109½	111
N.S.W. 3½'s, 1918	105	108½	109
Silver, per oz.	30½d	29 15-16d	27d
Wool, N.S.W., average greasy, per lb.	8½d	8d	10½d
Ditto, scoured, common	...	18d	19½d
Ditto, 60's, super	...	18½d	19½d
Tin, per ton	45	49	48
Lead, per ton	11½	11½	11½
Copper, per ton	66½	59½	62½
Australian mutton, per lb.	3½	2½	2 9-16d
Australian mutton tallow, per cwt.	21·6	19·0	18·

The main features of the bank return continue to show much smaller resources, though a much larger proportion of them is employed. The bank and market rates are not so high as they were a year back. Consols and Government securities generally are higher. Wool, Bradford tops, tin, and lead are dearer.

IMPORT MARKET.

Country orders received to-day were numerous, and distributing houses were kept actively engaged in consequence. Grave apprehensions as to the future of the wheat crop in both South Australia and Victoria are being voiced in the respective capitals of these two colonies. The prospects in New Zealand also are not of the brightest hue, though it is yet premature to say more than that the sowing was late and was carried on under somewhat unfavourable circumstances. From Queensland glowing reports have come to hand, and in this colony, although individual areas have suffered from lack of sufficient moisture, there is every cause for satisfaction at present prospects. From the country inquirers have been received for Manitoba flour, but the local demand has been of the most restricted character. Wheat, too, was neglected at recently current rates. Sugar and tea met with a trade demand at late prices. In liquors and groceries a stir in distributing inquiry is all that can be noted. Dried fruits met with a better demand sultanas especially showing a firmer front. Barbed wire and implates were, if anything, even stronger than towards the end of the week. Ex-ranches used with some inquiry. The kerosene combination having lapsed, prices receded 1d for large parcels. A private cable has been received from London notifying an advance in quicksilver, on the strength of which several parcels changed hands. Cream of tartar and saltpetre were placed at recent rates.

Import circulars often had cause to complain of the cut-throatment they have from time to time had to suffer at the hands of British manufacturers. When trade is slack in England, colonial orders are welcome when it is in busy, seemingly, the colonies can go. Of late importers have added to their complaints invidious comparisons between the courtesy extended to them by American houses soliciting their business and the "that's our price, take it or leave it," policy of the English manufacturer. The attitude of the representatives of the two countries certainly bear a sharp contrast. On the one hand the Americans are constantly asking for samples, and adopting weights and measures to which colonial buyers are accustomed. Engli h manufacturers on the other hand seem to prefer to lose business rather than change their methods, or endeavour to please their customers. A Sydney firm has for some six or seven years been getting sheet copper of a particular gauge from a manufacturer in one of the English counties, who has never been limited in the matter of price. Recently an order was forwarded as usual, and the following reply, characteristic of the class nature referred to, was received :—"We are obliged for your order, which we return herewith, and shall be glad if you will excuse us from doing this . . . is out of our way. Your present order for similar material we have made several times over without getting it satisfactory, and we do not feel justified in accepting a further order. We should have been pleased if we could have been able to oblige you . . . As no complaints have been made from this end about "getting it satisfactory," the excuse is looked upon as a feeble one. The result of the difficulty has been that American houses have been asked to quote, and it is conceded that no difficulty will be experienced in getting the orders completed. When trade is less brisk in England, and colonial orders are being looked for, English manufacturers such as the one quoted will find that advances have been backed, and contracts have been made for some time ahead with others.

Breadstuffs.—Wheat was dull, and nominally with 1s 6d per bushel Darling Harbour delivery. Flour remained at £12 to £12 5s for New South Wales brands, £12 10s for Queen's mil, and £12 to for blue Manitoba, and £11 5s to £11 10s for New Zealand. Manitoba met with some inquiry for the southern ports of Queensland.

Imports of wheat and flour have of late been falling off somewhat rapidly. The chief sources of supply during the past few months have been as follow :—

—	From America.		New Zealand.	Elsewhere.
	Sacks.	Half-Quarters.	Sacks.	Packages.
June	27,410	6,161	241	2,450	134
July	25,420	2,812	12,742	887	5,090
August	15,510	10,504	820	3,331	197
September	10,983	560	...	2,053	109
October	10,052	500	...	1,000	...

Of wheat, 58,389 sacks have come to hand from New York and San Francisco, and 37 sacks only from New Zealand. As no additional parcels have been ordered, the shipments afloat have been reduced by this amount. The only vessels still to come forward are the Cockermouth from New York, 51 days out, with 10,150 bushels of test parcel, and 357 tons of flour, and the General Gordon from San Francisco, 34 days out, with 50,000 bushels of wheat.

An unusual amount of capital seems to be being made in some quarters out of the unfavourable crop reports that have been received from parts of each of the three largest wheat-producing colonies. One of the leading Victorian journals goes so far as to contrast itself to the statement that "the strong probability is that the colonies will be unable to export to Europe during the coming season." And, further, speaking of the Victorian outlook in the mallee districts, that "a yield less than that of last year is now expected by some authorities," "some authorities" being dead-beat holders of wheat or flour. It is not very long back that it was shown that the price of wheat in the southern colony would, in the event of exportation, have to recede over 1s 6d per bushel to bring the current price there to the Liverpool level. With flour a corresponding decline is also inevitable. But the wheat and flour now held, which, by the way, has been moving off unusually slowly of late, was purchased at half prices. Holders consequently to not care to force realisations, and they are accordingly persistent "short cropperizers." But it must be admitted that crop prospects are not as favourable in some parts of Victoria and South Australia as could be desired. Regarding the former colony the "Argus," after reviewing the position from both sides, comes to the conclusion that "the total yield for the whole colony is likely to exceed that of last year by 140 or three millions of bushels." In South Australia the "Advertiser" does not look for more than a three-bushel yield. This would give 9½ bushels per head of population, whereas a five-bushel crop would give 116,000 tons for export. All reports speak of the outer fringe beyond Gawler's rainfall line as being utterly ruined, and the better crops within that line as not having made any progress for a month past. In New South Wales, the owners of the Darling Downs in Queensland, very favourable weather is reported, and harvesting operations are expected within a fortnight. It is estimated that the area under wheat in the northern colony is double that of last year, and that many of the fields will yield under contracted favourable conditions, up to 40 bushels per acre.

Near wheat should very soon be available in South Australia, yet there is some talk in Adelaide of further importations before harvesting. On this subject the "Register" says :—

As the supply to be a probability of still further supplies of local and feed-stuffs being required from the north-boats, it would be interesting to know what the port "bill" amounts to before the shutters are entered in. Leaving out of consideration the drawing upon local stocks, which by the time should have been reduced to a low level, it was anticipated that the shipments of direct importation and clearances during the three months which ended September 30 would be sufficient before the period began, the importations of grain during the last three months have been mainly on holders' account. The quantity of each one when has been insignificant, but there have been 41,000 bushels of a value of £14,000 brought in overland, on which there has been no duty to pay. New South Wales has contributed 32½ bushels and Victoria 9,341 bushels.

Sugar.—Trade sales were made at 13s to £18 10s for soft whites, and £17 to £17 10s for yellows.

Tea.—Practically no business at note was reported, prices remaining nominally unchanged.

Messrs. Henry Harris and Co. (late Harris and Ackman) will offer to-morrow (Tuesday), at their rooms, Pitt-street, 623 chests of Ceylon teas, comprising all grades, from pekoes to fine brokens, on account of Messrs. Gerber, Michaut, and Co., and the Ceylon Tea Shippers' Association.

Groceries.—Fresh herrings continue very scarce, with a strong upward tendency. Moir's are quoted at 4s 3d, Morton's at 4s, and cheaper lines 3s 9d to 3s 10½d. 230 cases of Hell's Plaid vestas sold for Western Australia. 120 cases of Colman's packet starch changed hands at 4·2s.

Messrs. Henry Harris and Co. (late Harris and Ackman) will offer groceries, oilmen's stores, &c., to-morrow (Tuesday) as advertised.

Dried Fruits.—Sultanas had a decidedly firmer tone, and most holders have now raised their distributing price to 5½d. This price was, indeed, refused for a line, although on Saturday 500 boxes sold at a concession. Elemes went at 5½d. Currants were still being distributed at 4½d to 4¾d, but the trend of the market here also was upward. Valencia raisins sold at 5d.

Liquors.—Hennessy's brandy was a shade firmer—one-star at 24s 3d, and three-star at 46s. The recent slight advance in Key gin has been well maintained. Sir John Power's whisky moved off in trade parcels, three-swallow being in best request. Jeffrey's bulk ale sold steadily at agents' prices. Twenty-five hogsheads of Guild's ale changed hands. Twenty cases of Dry Monopole champagne were taken for export at usual rates.

Hardware.—Tinplates were very firm, ordinary IC Cokes being almost unobtainable. Bolts and nuts sold at 22½ per cent. off for some lengths, less discount being allowed owing to scarcity. Sashweights ruled firm at £6 to £6 10s, some sizes, notably 9lbs., being in short supply. Tinned sheets sold well. Wire netting still went at 35 per cent. off list, but some houses are trying to shade this. Fencing wire remained at £8 2s 6d and £8 12s 6d for Nos. 8 and 10. Barbed wire sold at £15 10s to £15 15s, all near at hand lots having passed out of first hands.

Jute Goods.—Cornsacks remained at 4s 7½d on spot, 25 bales being placed at this figure. Cornsacks are now beginning to come forward freely in preparation for the forthcoming harvest. Last month the deliveries ex Calcutta vessels ex a cled 1000 bales against an average of about 150 bales during the four preceding months. As might also have been expected the quantity of woolpacks that has come forward has greatly decreased, falling from 4400 bales in August to 100 bales last month. It so happens, however, that the shipping of a few more bales to arrive about now would have been a most profitable investment. Some holders of hranbags asked advanced prices. Woolpacks ruled firm at late rates.

Oils.—Kerosene was 1d lower at 8½d for parcels, without business of importance being noted. China remained 1 at 2s 3d to 2s 4d, castor at 2s 8d, and linseed at 2s 2d and 2s 4d.

Chemicals.—Two tons of French cream of tartar sold at 91d, and a small parcel of English saltpetre at £25. Quicksilver was cabled 10s lower in London. Holders now ask 2s 1d to 2s 1½d. Fifteen bottles changed hands at the advanced rates.

The customs revenue received at Sydney to-day amounted to £6859. The principal items were :—

Spirits, £2812; wine, £35 ; ale, porter, and beer, £186 ; tobacco, cigars, and cigarettes, £2007 ; sugar and molasses, £498 ; opium, £152 ; dried and candied fruits, £10 ; confectionery, £33 ; glucose, liquid and syrup, £66 ; bacon and light rates, £93 ; pickles, £31 ; excise on tobacco, cigars, and cigarettes, £1035 ; excise on beer, £1214. Total, £6859.

EXPORT MARKET.

Tallow Shipments to Europe.—The Sydney Woolselling Brokers' Association report that the exports of tallow to Europe from Australasia during October were 3913 tons, against 4227 tons in September and 4540 tons in August.

The following is a return of the principal articles of export for the period from January 1 to October 31, together with the figures for the corresponding period of the previous year :—

Mth.	Wool. Bales	Skins Packs	Hides No.	Tallow Casks.	Tin. ingots.	opper Ingots	Lead Pkgs
Jan'y	109,659	2,655	18,810	8,443	2,995	17,869	915
Feb.	56,093	1,092	6,081	7,146	2,330	24,043	1,303
Mar.	99,316	1,405	15,106	6,966	2,265	24,264	1,611
April	12,11	1,867	20,14	9,3 4	1,474	21,272	859
May	17,602	1,360	32,520	6,53	3,664	25,726	1,214
June	8,902	2,153	15,406	5,236	2,664	21,1	831
July	8,04	1,831	31,011	4,009	4,471	27,312	981
Aug.	11,44	1,915	57,269	3,132	6,564	31,136	1,398
Sept.	47,166	1,511	52,909	4,993	3,576	31,091	1,353
Oct.	51,401	1,477	47,908	5,506	4,750	48,950	1,533
Total 1897	393,956	17,879	344,145	59,927	40,950	314,057	13,210
1896	393,956	15,122	184,080	49,343	37,640	325,305	11,858

Mth.	Frozen Meats. Mutton Pieces.	Carcase.	Hoofs and Horns Tons.	Horns. No.	Butter. Boxes.	Shale. Tons.
Jan'y	47,99	...	80	30,160	20,821	5,600
Feb.	37,2	...	242	30,663	11,253	357
Mar.	55,15	...	4,173	42,980	10,433	2,182
April	136,941	...	3,661	29,16	1,564	4,646
May	146,746	...	2,339	34,1 4	1,264	1,0
June	87,315	...	3,069	100	32,882	100	3,849
July	66,775	...	199	80	40,442	100	575
Aug.	66,477	...	1,0	...	60,46	...	1,0
Sept.	30,958	...	68	187	116,998	1,256	161
Oct.	41,625	...	481	187	153,925	15,949	222
Total 1897	683,756	...	14,996	1,092	849,198	61,64	17,584
1896	890,5 6	...	8,521	...	1,103,160	4,388	8,987

Meats (cases).—January, 12,0 8 ; February, 9,08 ; March, 7,99 ; April, 20,01 ; May, 21,252 ; June, 17,661 ; July, 11,179 ; August, 8,886 ; September, 1,904 ; October, 320. Total, 122,737 cases, against 150,6 1 in 1896.

Tongues (tons).—January, 336 ; February, 365 ; March, ... ; April, 396 ; May, 296 ; June, 67 ; July, 28 ; August, 165 ; September, 225 ; October, 452. Total, 2,31 tons.

Of hoofs and horns 1092 tons were exported, against 1176 tons in the corresponding period of 1896. Of copra 2631 tons were exported, against 5983.

Wool Receipts.—At Darling Harbour to-day 7145 bales of wool were manifested, 1151 arrived coastwise, and 486 bales were received by rail at Newcastle on Saturday last.

COMMERCIAL TELEGRAMS.

ADELAIDE, Monday.

There is little doing in the wheat market, and values are unaltered at 3s nominal. Flour, £13 to £13 5s for ordinary, and £13 10s for best patent roller.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

Wheat is quiet at 3s 2d to 3s 3d.

Flour is steady at 13s 3d to 13s 6d.

Chaff, £2 10s to £3 ; prime green, £3 12s 6d.

Ballarat potatoes, 50s to 52s 6d. Onions, £13 to £14. Sales of Mauritius sugar, ex Golden Fleece, now amount to about 350 tons, at prices ranging to £21 10s. Sales in cargo lots of Bahr Dodjeh, Pauyong at 6d, 150 half-chests Kooloo, 240 chests Indian at 7½d to 8½d. A modern business was done in currants up to 5½d. Cornsacks are weak up to 4s 7d. Thirty tons steel rails were placed. Ten tons barbed wire to arrive.

Notwithstanding the holiday feeling, and the considerable attention given to racing matters, there was a fairly active market on the Stock Exchange to-day, and a good aggregate volume of business was effected, principally, as of late, in Australian banking shares. In the moderate business transacted in investment stocks late quotations were well supported, the principal feature being further sales of new issue of 3½ per cent. debentures of the Metropolitan Board of Works at £101. Other sales were :—National Bank debentures, 20s 6d, 20s 2d ; Commercial Bank preference shares, 75s ; National, £10 12s ; Perkins and Co., 25s 6d ; Melbourne Tramway and Omnibus, 12s 7½d ; Silverton Tramway, £5, £5 1s 6d ; Northcote Brick, 5s 6d ; Sidney Hydraulic, 21s 3d ; Jumbunna coal preference, 5s.

The Melbourne wool sales were continued to-day, when two firms of selling brokers offered 5183 bales, of which 4044 bales were sold. There was a good attendance of buyers and competition was brisk, but the weakness referred to last week in everything except best wools was noticeable to-day, and inferior wools, both merino and crossbred, show a fall of about ½d to ¾d per lb. as compared with the beginning of last week. No change can be quoted in good wools.

THE DAIRYING INDUSTRY.

PAMBULA, Monday.

The Pambula Co-operative Dairy Company has called tenders for erecting buildings, machinery, &c.

PRODUCE MARKET.—Monday.

TRADE IN SUSSEX-STREET.

In general produce a fair amount of business was transacted to-day, a slight all-round improvement being noticeable in the demand for all lines of produce as the result of the opening of the new month. As far as prices were concerned no changes of importance occurred beyond a fall in perishable articles, namely, onions and potatoes, each of which suffered a further decline. The market for maize remained firm with the demand fair at 3s 4½d to 3s 5d. Oats continued dull of sale, with prices inclined to weaken. Both bran and pollard commanded a little attention at a shade firmer prices. Owing to the cheapness of local chaff imported brands were entirely neglected. Prices were if anything easier, the bulk of the best available being offered at 47s 6d per ton. Imported straw moved slowly at late rates. Lucerne had a fair amount of attention, principally at £1 15s per ton. New potatoes from the rivers sold well at a reduction of 10s on Friday's rates. Melbourne and New Zealand tubers were hard to quit at further reduced prices. New local onions arrived from the Hunter and Wellington this morning. Prices were again weaker, the former being sold at £6 and the latter at an extra £1 per ton. Melbourne sorts were also easier, while the demand was dull. A brisk business was done in all lines of dairy produce. Beyond a slight rise in eggs and 6 fall in ducks and fowls no changes in prices occurred.

Our Dumbleton correspondent has forwarded a particularly fine sample of wheat cut for hay in his district. The crops are grown without the assistance of irrigation, but could hardly be excelled with its aid. The ears are large and well filled, and the stalk long and clean. If this is what can be produced on the Queensland border, it is a pity that more wheat is not grown there.

FEED-GRAINS MARKET.

Maize.—Fair demand. Prime quoted 3s 5d per bushel.

Oats.—Nominal and dull. New Zealand prime, feed, 2s 5d to 2s 5½d ; medium, 2s 1d to 2s 2d ; local, prime, 2s 9d to 2s 3d per bushel.

Barley.—Imported Cape barley, nominal. English prime, 3s 5d per bushel.

Bran.—Blue, 5s ; grey, 5s 6d to 5s 9d per bushel.

Chick wheat.—Prime, 3s 8d to 3s 9d, second-class 3s 6d to 3s 8d screenings 2s 6d to 2s 8d per bus el.

BRAN AND POLLARD.

Bran and pollard were in steady demand at quotations. Each was quoted at 4l per bushel.

CHAFF AND STRAW.

Leading roller brands, £12 to £12 5s. New Zealand, £11 5s to £11 10s ; Manitoba, red £12 to £12 5s, blue £12 10s on spot. Local wheat is nominal at 4s 6d per bushel, Darling Harbour delivery.

POTATO MARKET.

Potatoes.—New local, prime, £4 ; New Zealand Derwent, prime, £2 5s ; Ballarat, £3 5s per ton.

FORAGE MARKET.

Straw.—Derrick-pressed, imported, prime, £2 7s ; local, £2 5s ; local bundled, £2 5s to £2 10s per ton.

Hay.—Local sales in bundles, prime, £4 15s to £5 ; extra prime, £5 5s ; medium, £3 15s to £4 5s per ton.

Lucerne.—Hunter River : Fair quality, £1 10s ; prime, £1 15s ; extra green, £2 per ton.

Chaff.—Good supply. Imported : Ordinary prime, £4 to £4 7s ; medium, £3 to £3 15s. Local : Ordinary prime, £4 to £4 10s ; prime green, £4 15s to £5 ; medium, £3 5s to £3 17s 6d per ton.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Honey.—Plentiful. Slow sale. Garden honey, choice, 2½d ; second-class quality, 2d per lb.

Beeswax.—Scarce, 1s per lb.

Onions.—Local, new, £6 to £7 ; Melbourne, £5 per ton.

Lard.—Finely rendered, in bladders, 5½d to 6d ; bulk, 4½d to 5d per lb.

DAIRY PRODUCE.

Butter.—Good demand. Finest creamery, 9d. South Coast quote choice creamery 9d, Berry Creamery 9d. Foley Brothers quote choice-t creamery 9d per lb.

Eggs.—North 6½d to 6¾d, South 7d, choice brands 7½d per dozen.

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Funerals.

SHARP.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. SHARP are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved daughter, AGNES; to move from their residence, Bonar-street, Arncliffe, THIS DAY, at 1 p.m., for Necropolis.
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THE Friends of the late BRIDGET DEMPSEY are invited to attend her Funeral; to move from 101 Palmer-street, Woolloomooloo, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at 1.15, for Necropolis. W. J. DIXON and COMPANY, Embalmers, 120 Oxford-street; 187 George-street West.

THE Friends of JOSEPH, MINNIE, JOHN, TIMOTHY, HENRY, and WILLIAM O'GRADY are invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved AUNT, Bridget Dempsey; to move from 101 Palmer-st, Woolloomooloo, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at 1.15, for Necropolis. W. J. DIXON and COMPANY, Embalmers, 120 Oxford-street; 187 George-street West.

PERRY.—The Friends of Mr. JAMES PERRY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his dearly beloved SON, Edward; to move from his residence, 101 George-street, THIS AFTERNOON, at half-past 1, for Mortuary, thence to Necropolis.
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BAXTER.—The Friends of Mrs. C. BAXTER are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her late beloved SON, John; to move from her residence, 252 Sussex-street, city, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at quarter to 3 o'clock, for Rookwood Cemetery.
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765 George-street, opp. Christ Church;
and Rockdale.

THE Officers and Members of the Gladstone Lodge, No. 206, U.A.O.D., are respectfully requested to attend the Funeral of our late departed BROTHER, John McNair Baxter; to move from his late residence, 252 Sussex-street, at 1.30 p.m., for Rookwood Cemetery.
Sidney C. Jennings, A.D.; George H. Davies, Secretary.

THE Friends of Mrs. JANE JONES are kindly invited to attend her Funeral; to move from her late residence, 17 Little Belmore-street, Surry Hills, THIS DAY, at quarter-past 2, for Waverley Cemetery.

THE Friends of THOMAS, JOHN, and JOSEPH JONES are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved MOTHER; to move from her late residence, 17 Little Belmore-street, Surry Hills, THIS DAY, at quarter-past 2 p.m., for Waverley Cemetery.

THE REMAINS of the late Mr. MORRIS MENSER will leave the Mortuary THIS DAY, at 2.25.
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Secretary.

THE Friends of the late ELLEN HANNEY are respectfully invited to attend her Funeral; to take place THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at Rookwood R.C. Cemetery, at 3.30 o'clock. Friends, please take Funeral Train leaving Mount-street, at 2.25. W. J. DIXON and COMPANY, Embalmers, 120 Oxford-street; 187 George-st. W.

HICKEY.—The Friends of Mr. MICHAEL HICKEY are kindly invited to attend his Funeral, which will move from his late residence, No. 35 Hume-street, Balmain West, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at 2.30, for Field of Mars Roman Catholic Cemetery.
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DAVIES.—The Friends of the late Mr. EVAN J. DAVIES, late of the Herald Office, are kindly invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his residence, 79 Stanley-street, Woollcomooloo, THIS DAY, at quarter before 3 p.m., for the Waverley Cemetery.
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WM. STRANGE, President.
GEO. BROWN, Secretary.

BYRNE.—The Friends of the late Mr. SIMON BYRNE, omnibus driver, are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from the residence of Mr. Jolly Croydon, 14 High-street, Paddington, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, for Waverley Cemetery.
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